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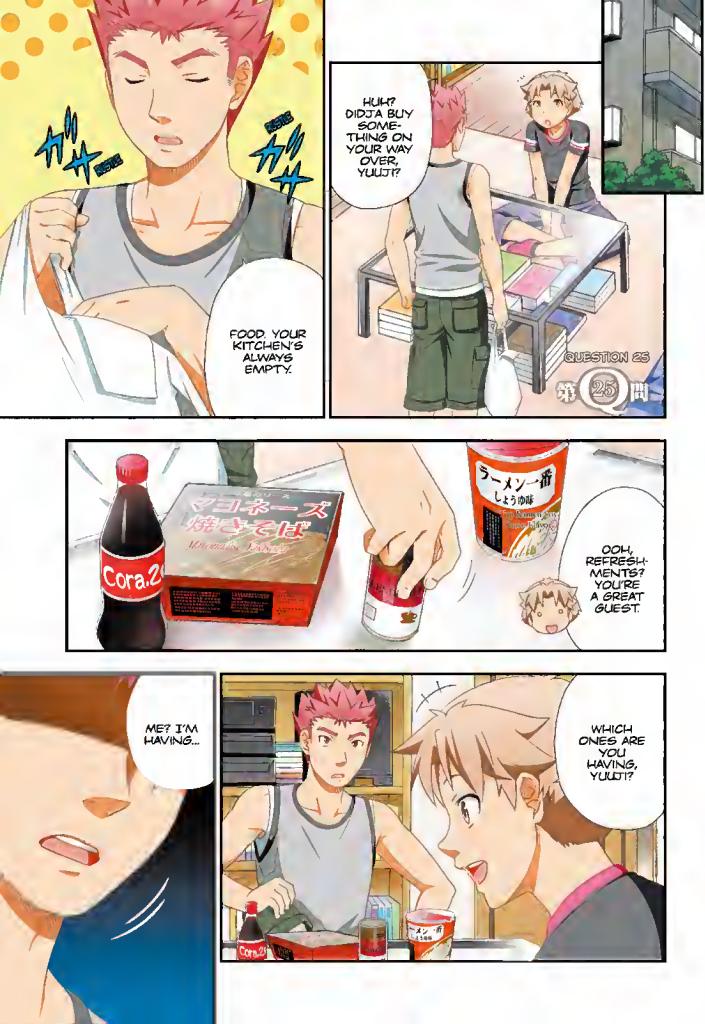
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FOOD. YOUR KITCHEN'S ALWAYS EMPTY.
HUH? DIDJA BUY SOMETHING ON YOUR WAY OVER, YUUJI?
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ラーメン一番
しょうゆ味
OOH, REFRESHMENTS? YOU'RE A GREAT GUEST.
ME? I'M HAVING...
WHICH ONES ARE YOU HAVING, YUUJI?

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GOOD GOD, MAN! YOU'D TRY TO EAT THE CHOPSTICKS?!
CLATTER
YUUJI, YOU ROTTEN JERK! YOU'D MAKE ME EAT NOTHING BUT DISPOSABLE CHOPSTICKS?!
...THE COLA, THE COFFEE, THE RAMEN, AND THE YAKISOBA.
YOU CAN'T HAVE MY CHOPSTICKS, BUT I BOUGHT YOU LUNCH, TOO.
HOT!!
あつ!!
HOT!
あつ!
NOT TO MENTION, IF YOU HAD THE CHOPSTICKS, WHAT WOULD I EAT WITH?
MHM, MHM. GLAD TO HEAR IT. MY HARD WORK WON'T GO UNREWARDED.
PASTE
WELL, YOU KNOW. I OWE YOU FOR THAT EPISODE AT THE PARK.
IT'S TO SHOW MY THANKS.
OH, SO YOU DID GET ME STUFF!

GUMMIES. DIET COLA. SEAWEED JELLY NOODLES.
Gummies
Diet Cola
Extension

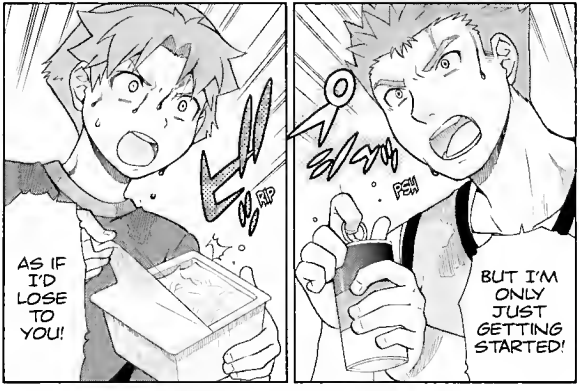
GLITTER
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA HOW MUCH I WENT THROUGH TO PULL THAT PLAN OFF?!
TCH! YOU'RE NOT THANKFUL AT ALL!!

DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT. THIS IS MY THANKS.
HEH
BUT MY PRECIOUS NUTRITION !!

BOOOM
OH, YEAH. IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU AND I SETTLED THINGS ONCE AND FOR ALL.
...YOU REALLY WANNA DO THIS, YUUJI?

SHUT YOUR PIE HOLE! DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA HOW MUCH I'VE BEEN THROUGH IN THE AFTER-MATH?!
WHAP

HA! YOU'RE ALL TALK!
FLIP
SLOWLY
YOU'RE ON. YOU'LL RUE THE DAY YOU CHALLENGED ME TO A QUICK DRAW!
FLIP



WE'LL BE BACK IN JUST A FEW MOMENTS.

...TRUCE, YUUJI?
...YEAH. THIS BATTLE IS TOO STICKY.

I'MA USE YOUR SHOWER, AKIHISA.
SURE. I'LL GET YOU A TOWEL.

...
OH YEAH, YUUJI?
I FORGOT TO MENTION...
WHAT?

TUG
...A LITTLE WARNING WOULD HAVE BEEN NICE.
SORRY, DUDE. LESSEE...

ROOM LESSNA
BWAAAH?!
MY GAS GOT TURNED OFF, SO THERE'S NO HOT WATER.

I WASN'T ASKING FOR A LECTURE ON THE FINER POINTS OF COLD-ASS SHOWERS!!
SO YOU START WITH YOUR HANDS AND FEET AND GRADUALLY WORK YOUR WAY...
YOU CAN'T LET COLD WATER SUDDENLY SPRAY YOU ANYWHERE NEAR YOUR HEART.

MAAAYBE... IT'S KINDA TOO LATE NOW, THOUGH...

SHIVER
TCH! I'M GONNA GET SICK LIKE THIS.

IT'S THE COLD SHOWER THAT GOT ME HEATED UP IN THE FIRST PLACE, MORON!
YOU SHOULD TAKE A COLD SHOWER TO COOL YOUR HEAD.
WHAT'RE YOU GETTING SO HEATED UP OVER, YUUJI?

WE COULD GO THERE ...
OR WE COULD HIT UP SOMEPLACE WITH SHOWERS AND A POOL.

OUT? OH, TO YOUR HOUSE?

FOR PETE'S SAKE, OKAY, AKIHISA, WE'RE GOING OUT.

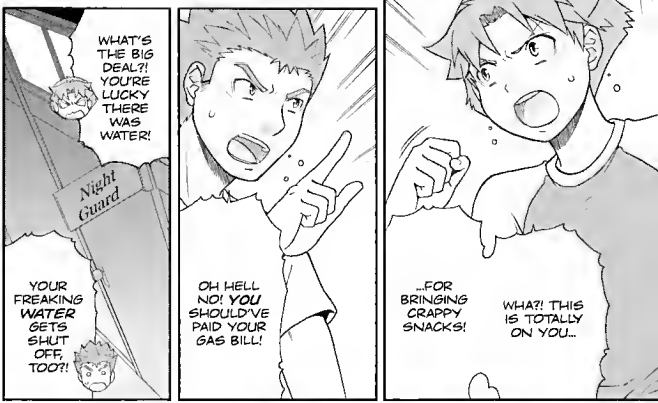
A PLACE CLOSE BY, WITH SHOWERS AND A POOL...
...AND MOST IMPORTANTLY, WITH FREE ENTRY, YOU KNOW.

LIKE THAT RESORT THAT'S A WAYS AWAY?
IT'S KINDA LATE TO GO THAT FAR NOW...

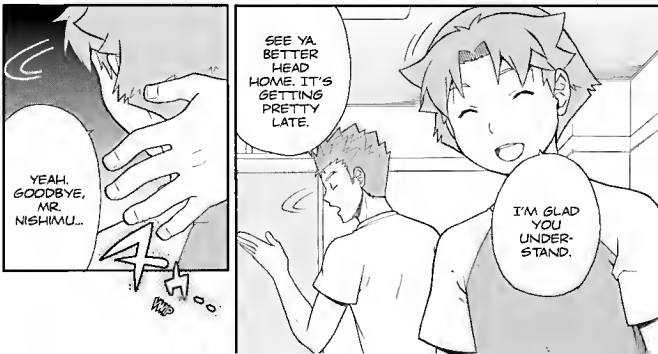
OHH. THERE. GOTCHA.
THUMBS UP
OKAY. I'LL BE READY IN A JIFFY.

WHAT ABOUT YOUR TRUNKS, YUUJI?
I'LL JUST SWIM IN MY BOXERS. IT'S BASICALLY THE SAME THING.
'KAY.
...LET'S HEAR YOUR EXCUSES.

IT'S HIS FAULT.


WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL?! YOU'RE LUCKY THERE WAS WATER!
Night Guard
YOUR FREAKING WATER GETS SHUT OFF, TOO?!
OH HELL NO! YOU SHOULD'VE PAID YOUR GAS BILL!
...FOR BRINGING CRAPPY SNACKS!
WHA?! THIS IS TOTALLY ON YOU...

...OKAY. I'VE HEARD ENOUGH.


YEAH. GOODBYE, MR. NISHIMU...
SEE YA. BETTER HEAD HOME. IT'S GETTING PRETTY LATE.
I'M GLAD YOU UNDER-STAND.

H!! H!!
NNG
NNG
H-HOW ASTUTE, SIR... PLEASE, ALLOW ME TO STAY...
M-ME, TOO. BY YOUR LEAVE...
YOU CAN HEAD HOME AFTER YOU-KNOW-WHAT. YOUR HOUSES AREN'T GOING ANYWHERE.
NOT SO FAST, YOU TWO.
SQUEEZE
GUEH?!
I WANT YOU TO TRANSLATE MY WORDS INTO ENGLISH.
GOOD BOYS. LET'S GET RIGHT TO IT.
IN ENGLISH, THAT WOULD START WITH THE VERB "REFLECT ON," I THINK...
ON REFLECTION, I SHOULD NOT HAVE USED THE POOL WITHOUT ITS OWNER'S PERMISSION.
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HUH?
HUH? WHY THE SIGH OF DIS-APPOINT-MENT?

YUP. ABOUT TWO PER WEEK.
SHRICH SHRICH
RIGHT OFF THE TOP OF YOUR HEAD, EH? JUST GOES TO SHOW HOW MANY OF THESE YOU'VE WRITTEN.

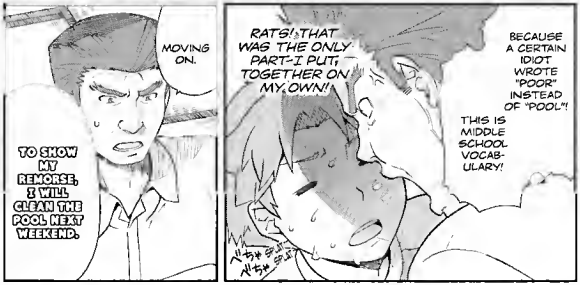
DONE? LET ME SEE.
YOU WOULDN'T HAVE TO DO THEM IF YOU'D SHAPE UP.

"I reflect on having used the poor without owner's permission."
NOW TRANS-LATE IT BACK.

SAKA-MOTO, READ IT OUT LOUD.

WEIRD. I THOUGHT IT WAS PERFECT ENGLISH.
?

B-BWUH?! HOW DID IT TURN INTO THAT?!
ARE YOU A SLAVE TRADER?
ON REFLECTION, I SHOULD NOT HAVE USED POOR PEOPLE WITHOUT THEIR OWNER'S PERMISSION.


MOVING ON.
TO SHOW MY REMORSE, I WILL CLEAN THE POOL NEXT WEEKEND.
RATS! THAT WAS THE ONLY PART I PUT TOGETHER ON MY OWN!
BECAUSE A CERTAIN IDIOT WROTE "POOR" INSTEAD OF "POOL"!
THIS IS MIDDLE SCHOOL VOCABULARY!

TRANSLATE IT.
URGH.. YOU'RE EVIL...

YOU WILL? THAT'S A BIG UNDERTAKING. GOOD LUCK.

THAT'S MR. NISHIMURA TO YOU.
WOW
OF ALL THE ROTTEN LUCK, WE JUST HAD TO BE CAUGHT BY IRONMAN.
GRIT
2-F
IT WAS A SUCKY WEEKEND.
SIGH
...AND THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED.
AND NEXT WEEKEND WE'RE STUCK CLEANING THE POOL. BLAH...
SIGH
TRULY? HOW TRAGIC...

BWEH? HE DID?
BUT IRONMAN DID TELL ME WE COULD USE THE POOL THE DAY WE CLEAN IT.
IT AIN'T EXACTLY A REWARD...

RIGHT? I'M GETTING BUMMED JUST IMAGINING CLEANING THAT HUGE POOL.
...SLAVE LABOR.

HIDEYOSHI IN A SWIMSUIT..!!

ONLY...
YOU'LL HAVE TO HELP US CLEAN, MUTTSULINI.
...

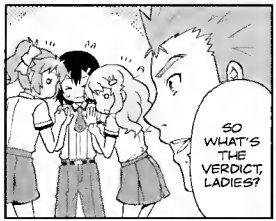
YEP. HIDEYOSHI, MUTTSULINI, YOU GUYS WANNA COME TOO?

BY THE WAY, I'M GONNA INVITE HIMEJI AND SHIMADA, TOO.
...READY THE SOAP AND BRUSHES.
A PRIVATE POOL PARTY IS A RARE EXPERIENCE INDEED. I BELIEVE I'LL INDULGE IN IT.
AND I'LL ASSIST WITH THE CLEANING, OF COURSE.
GREAT. JUST THOSE TWO LEFT, THEN.
HEY, HIMEJI! SHIMADA!
WHAT'S UP, SAKAMOTO? NEED SOMETHING?
YOU ASKED FOR US, SAKA-MOTO?

Eh
TWITCH
HUH...?
ARE YOU TWO FREE THIS WEEK-END?
WE'VE GOT THE SCHOOL POOL ALL TO OUR-SELVES. WANT IN?
THE POOL... WE'D BE WEARING SWIM-SUITS, HUH...
FIDGET
SHOULD I, UH, GO...?
N-NO. I DON'T HAVE ANY PLANS OR ANYTHING.
ERM, ARE YOU GUYS GONNA BE BUSY?
JUST AN FYI--HIDE-YOSHI'S COMING.
SO HE CAN SHOW HIS SWIM-WEAR OFF TO AKIHISA.
SOUNDS LIKE YOU'VE GOT YOUR CONCERNS.
Y-YES, SWIM SUITS... UM, WELL...
FIDGET

WHAT IS THIS ABOUT?

TH-THAT'S DOWNRIGHT DIRTY, KINOSHITA! JUST 'CAUSE YOU'RE CONFIDENT ABOUT YOUR LOOKS...!
Y-YES! THAT'S TERRIBLY SNEAKY, KINOSHITA!


SO WHAT'S THE VERDICT, LADIES?

THIS IS THE PERFECT OPPORTUNITY FOR ME TO GO BUY SOMETHING.
GASP
SPEAKING OF PREPARATIONS, IT'S ABOUT TIME I ACQUIRED NEW SWIMWEAR.

F-FINE, I'LL GO! I JUST NEED TO TAKE CARE OF SOME STUFF FIRST..
Y-YES. IT'S IMPORTANT TO BE PREPARED.

GASP
M-MAYBE I'LL BUY A NEW SWIMSUIT, TOO...?
GASP
EH? BUT MINAMI, DIDN'T YOU SAY..
...THAT YOU DIDN'T NEED A SWIMSUIT THIS YEAR, BECAUSE YOU JUST BOUGHT ONE LAST YEAR?
GASP
GASP
I-I'M GONNA BUY ANOTHER ONE 'CAUSE... 'CAUSE I NEED ONE TO COMPETE IN!
M-MIZUKI! THAT'S NONE OF THEIR BUSINESS!
TO COMPETE? LIKE IN RACES?
SHE SEEMS REAL SERIOUS. COMPETITIVE SWIMMING... MINAMI MUST LOVE SWIMMING AS MUCH AS THE FISH IN THE SEA.
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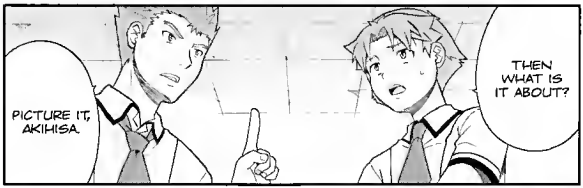
YOU'RE DIGGIN' YOURSELF INTO A DEEPER HOLE, SHIMADA.
YOU'RE READING TOO MUCH INTO IT.
OH YEAH, YUUJI.
MAKE SURE YOU INVITE MISS KIRISHIMA!
I WAS ALREADY GOING TO, GENIUS.

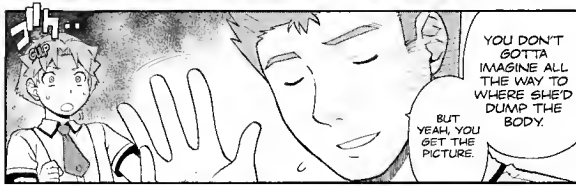
YOU'VE MATURED, YUUJI.
OH NO, IT'S NOT ABOUT MATURITY.

JAB
BWUH?. THAT'S WEIRD. I FIGURED YUUJI WOULD TRY TO KEEP IT A SECRET.
DID THEIR THEME PARK DATE FINALLY GET HIM TO OPEN UP?
BOOM


THEN WHAT IS IT ABOUT?
PICTURE IT, AKIHISA.

PUT YOURSELF IN MY SHOES, AND PICTURE WHERE I'D BE WHEN SHOUKO FINDS OUT.

DEEP IN THE FOREST... NO... AT THE BOTTOM OF A LAKE...
TH-THUMP


GULP
YOU DON'T GOTTA IMAGINE ALL THE WAY TO WHERE SHE'D DUMP THE BODY.
BUT YEAH, YOU GET THE PICTURE.

ANYWAY, SOUNDS LIKE WE'RE ALL IN.
WE'LL MEET UP BY THE SCHOOL GATES AT TEN ON SATURDAY.
DON'T FORGET YOUR SWIM-SUITS AND TOWELS!
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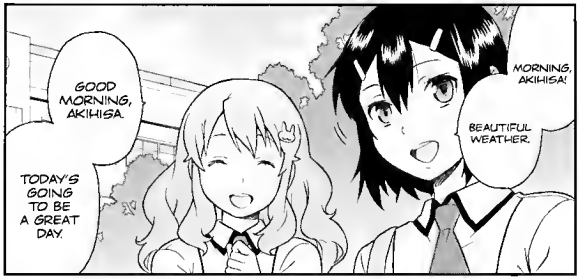

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click
HEY, MUTT-SULINI! GOOD MOR...
...!!
SO IT IS... FOR I'LL GET TO SEE BOTH OF THESE BEAUTIES ON A DAY OFF... AND IN SWIMSUITS!
THIS IS NOTHING SHORT OF HEAVENLY!

QUESTION 26

第26問

MUTTSULIN!, I GET THAT YOU WANT TO BE PREPARED. I'M JUST WORRIED THAT IT'LL BE A WASTE OF TIME.
...WHY?
IT'S NOT THAT I CAN'T UNDERSTAND HIS ENTHUSIASM...
IT'S JUST...
...BUSY.
UHH, MUTT-SULIN!?
SWIMSUITS WILL SHOW EVEN MORE SKIN. MUTTSULIN! HAS ZERO CHANCE OF STAYING CONSCIOUS.
HE DROWNED IN A SEA OF HIS OWN BLOOD BECAUSE OF THOSE CHINA DRESSES.
...OH YE OF LITTLE FAITH.
ASATE

MM-HM. NATURALLY.
SPEAKING OF HAVING THINGS COVERED... HIDEYOSHI, DID YOU REMEMBER YOUR NEW SWIM-SUIT?

FUSH
..BLOOD PACKS I HAVE IT COVERED
SO RIGHT FROM THE START YOU ACCEPTED THAT YOU CAN'T STOP THE NOSEBLEEDS. MANLY OF YOU.

...!!
WHAP
TO WEAR IN THE POOL I BOUGHT.

THE HUMAN-ITYYYY !!
EH HEH
...TRUNKS.

ARE YOU LISTENING?
I THOUGHT I WOULD USE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO REMIND YOU THAT I, TOO, CARRY A Y CHROMOSOME...
YOU TWO HAVE BEEN TREATING ME LIKE A GIRL LATELY.
WHY WOULD GOD PUT US THROUGH THIS TRIBULATION? HIDEYOSHI WEARING TRUNKS WOULD WRONG ALL THAT'S RIGHT IN THE WORLD!!
HOW COULD YOU, HIDEYOSHI? WHY DO YOU HATE US?!
...THOUGHT YOU WERE BETTER THAN THIS...!
DAMMIT! YOU WERE THE LAST PERSON I TRUSTED, HIDEYOSHI!
TMP TMP TMP!!
I-I DON'T THINK YOU SHOULD TAKE IT TO HEART, KINOSHITA.
W-WHAT? WHY ARE YOU MAKING ME OUT TO BE A VILLAIN?!

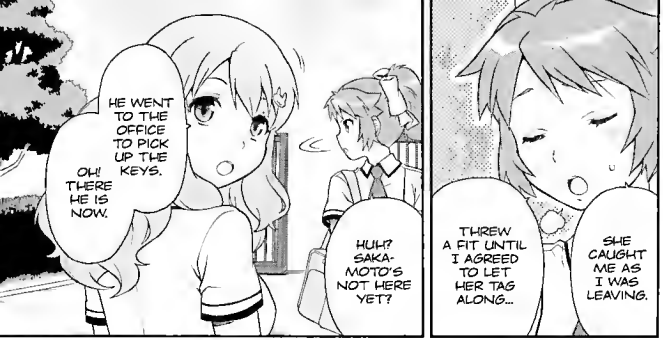
GEEZ, HAZUKI. YOU'LL GIVE HIM A HEART ATTACK.

WHA?!
BIG BROTHER BUTTHEAD! GOOD MOOORNING!

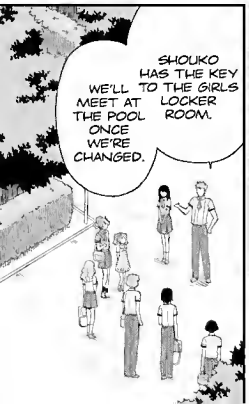
WHY HAVEN'T YOU ASKED ME TO COME PLAY WITH YOU?
YOU'RE A MEANIE, BUTTHEAD!

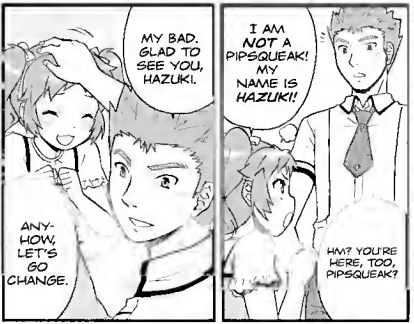
BECAUSE, IF I DID, YOUR SISTER WOULD RIP ME TO SHREDS.
SORRY 'BOUT THAT, HAZUKI.

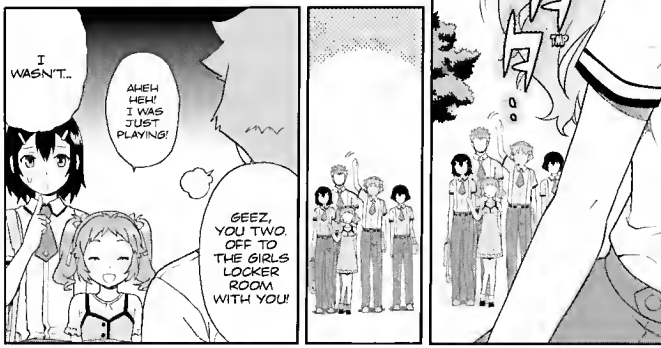
AHEH HEH! IT'S BEEN A LONG TWO WEEKS!
OH, IT'S JUST YOU, HAZUKI!


SHE CAUGHT ME AS I WAS LEAVING.
THREW A FIT UNTIL I AGREED TO LET HER TAG ALONG...
HUH? SAKA-MOTO'S NOT HERE YET?
OH! THERE HE IS NOW.
HE WENT TO THE OFFICE TO PICK UP THE KEYS.

YO. EVERY-BODY'S HERE ON TIME, HUH?
..GOOD MORN-ING.


SHOUKO HAS THE KEY TO THE GIRLS LOCKER ROOM.
WE'LL MEET AT THE POOL ONCE WE'RE CHANGED.


ANY-HOW, LET'S GO CHANGE.
MY BAD. GLAD TO SEE YOU, HAZUKI.
I AM NOT A PIPSQUEAK! MY NAME IS HAZUKI!
HM? YOU'RE HERE, TOO, PIPSQUEAK?

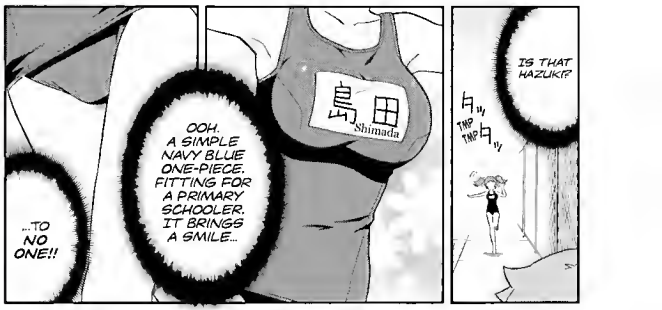

I WASN'T..
AHEH HEH! I WAS JUST PLAYING!
GEEZ, YOU TWO. OFF TO THE GIRLS LOCKER ROOM WITH YOU!

SH-SHIMADA?! NOT YOU, TOO?!
STOP MESSING AROUND. COME ON, YOU TWO.

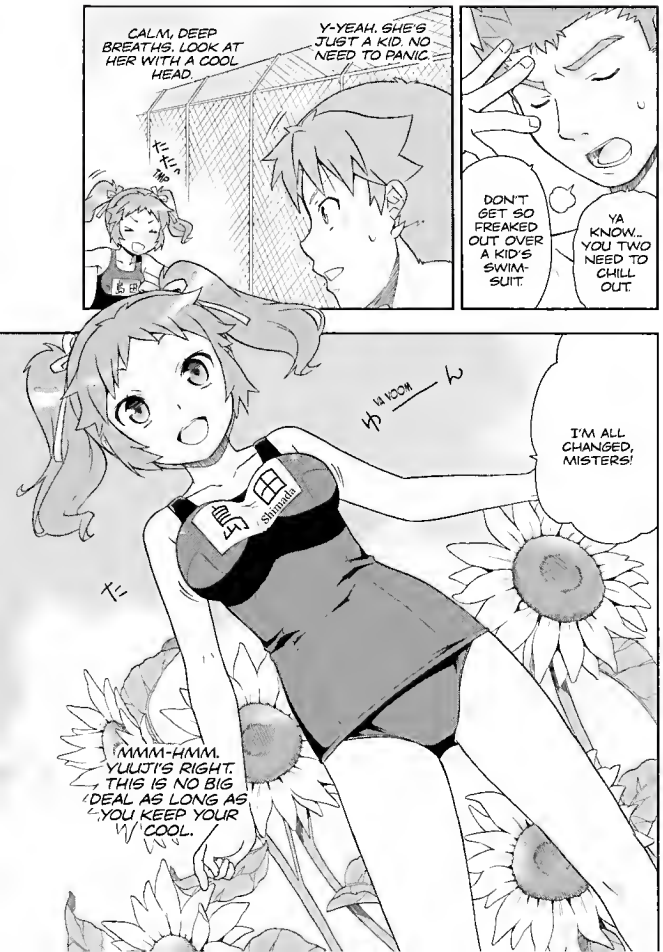
UMM... WHY DON'T WE COMPROMISE? KINOSHITA COULD CHANGE SOMEWHERE PRIVATELY.
BUT IF YOU CHANGE WITH US GUYS, MUTTSULINI WILL BE OFF TO THE NEXT LIFE BEFORE HE CAN SEE EVERYBODY'S SWIMSUITS.
NO! ANYWHERE BUT THE GIRLS LOCKER ROOM!!

NOW THAT THAT'S SETTLED, LET'S GO. TIME'S A-WASTIN'!
YUP, LET'S GO.
PRETTY SURE MEN'S STUFF WOULD LOOK WRONG ON YOU.
ONCE YOU SEE ME IN MY TRUNKS, YOU'LL SEE ME IN A NEW LIGHT...
SQUEEZE
MMRF... THIS IS HARDLY NECESSARY, BUT I'LL BIDE MY TIME...
MUTTSULIN!, ARE YOU PSYCHO-LOGICALLY PREPARED? YOUR LIFE IS ON THE LINE HERE.
I TRAINED TO 256 IMAGE PATTERNS LAST NIGHT.
...ALL READY.
GIRLS REALLY DO TAKE LONGER TO CHANGE.

MUTT'SULINI IS DOOMED.
...256 PATTERNS CAUSE BLEEDING.
THAT'S A 100 PERCENT GUARANTEE OF DEATH.
SOMEBODY'S COMING.


島田
Shimada
OOH. A SIMPLE NAVY BLUE ONE-PIECE. FITTING FOR A PRIMARY SCHOOLER. IT BRINGS A SMILE..
...TO NO ONE!!
IS THAT HAZUKI?

...I WANT MY LAWYER.
W-W-W-WHAT DO WE DO, YUUJI?! SHE'S IN A SCHOOL SWIM-SUIT!!
WE'LL GET ARRESTED JUST FOR BEING NEAR HER!!


CALM, DEEP BREATHS. LOOK AT HER WITH A COOL HEAD.
Y-YEAH. SHE'S JUST A KID. NO NEED TO PANIC.
KI-KU-TAG
DON'T GET SO FREAKED OUT OVER A KID'S SWIM-SUIT.
YA KNOW... YOU TWO NEED TO CHILL OUT.
YU HOOM
I'M ALL CHANGED, MISTERS!
Shimada
MMM-HMM. YUUJI'S RIGHT. THIS IS NO BIG DEAL AS LONG AS YOU KEEP YOUR COOL.

ANYWAY, I CAN'T BELIEVE SHE'S MINAMI'S SISTER!
GULP

YOU GUYS AREN'T CONVINCING ANYBODY.
HEH...
...A JAIL SENTENCE IS UNAVOIDABLE.
I THINK WE'LL GET OFF WITH TWO YEARS OF HARD LABOR.

G-GET BACK HERE, HAZUKI!
BOING
島田
Shimada
ESPECIALLY BECAUSE OF THOSE, AHEM, BULGES I AROUND THE NAMETAG.

FWEH?
...PADS.

GIVE THEM BACK!
DASH!
DON'T GO RUNNING OFF WITH MY THINGS!

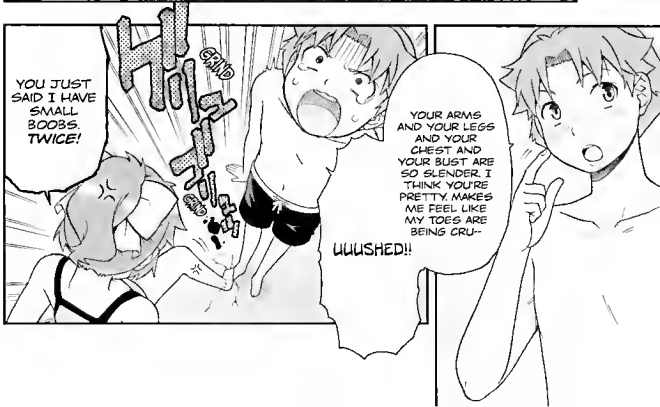
OHHH. I THOUGHT THAT SEEMED WAY TOO BIG FOR A PRIMARY SCHOOLER.
島田
Shimada
OOPSIES! THEY SLIPPED.
HUH? "GIVE THEM BACK"? MINAMI WAS TALKING ABOUT PUSH-UP PA...
I'M PUTTING MY ENTIRE BEING INTO THIS ONE PUNCH...!
D-DON'T DO IT, MINAMI! YOU COULD ERASE MY MEMORIES! NAY, MY ENTIRE EXISTENCE!
FWOOM

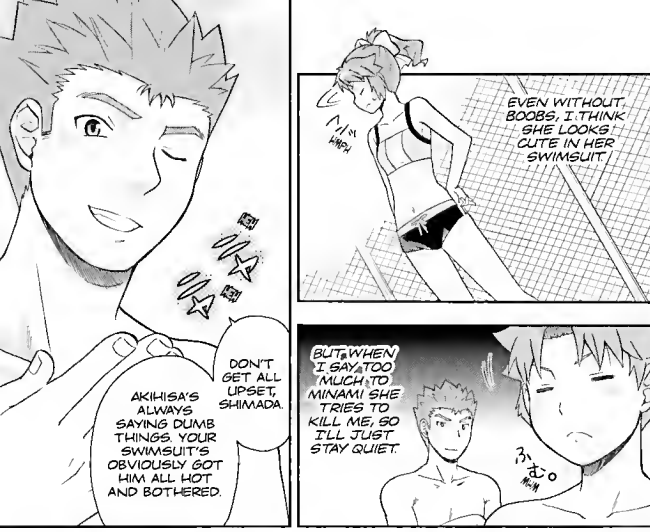
W-WHAT ARE YOU STARING AT? I LOOK WEIRD, DON'T I...?

SHE LOOKS LIKE A BEACH VOLLEYBALL PLAYER. I KINDA COOL...
GAZE

UGH... I BOUGHT THEM SPECIAL AND EVERYTHING... STUPID HAZUKI...

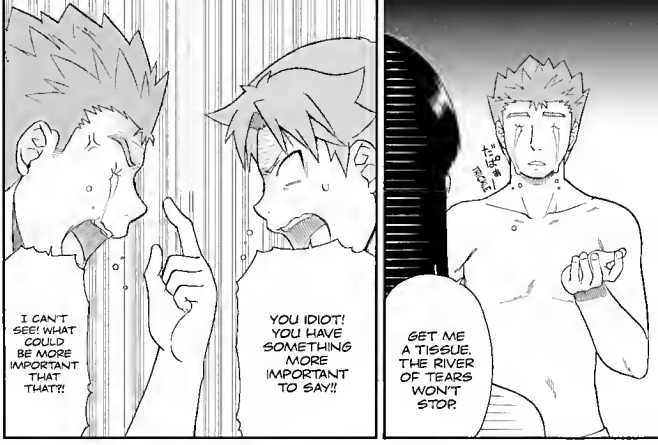
HUH...? YOU MEAN IT, AKI?
N-NOT AT ALL!
YOU, UH, YOU LOOK GREAT!

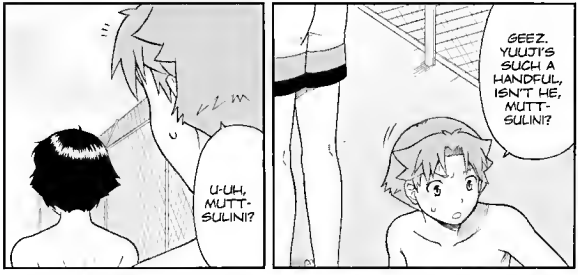

YOU JUST SAID I HAVE SMALL BOOBS, TWICE!
GRIND
GRIND
YOUR ARMS AND YOUR LEGS AND YOUR CHEST AND YOUR BUST ARE SO SLENDER. I THINK YOU'RE PRETTY. MAKES ME FEEL LIKE MY TOES ARE BEING CRU--
UUUSHED!!


DON'T GET ALL UPSET, SHIMADA.
AKIHISA'S ALWAYS SAYING DUMB THINGS. YOUR SWIMSUIT'S OBVIOUSLY GOT HIM ALL HOT AND BOTHERED.
EVEN WITHOUT BOOBS, I THINK SHE LOOKS CUTE IN HER SWIMSUIT.
BUT WHEN I SAY TOO MUCH TO MINAMI SHE TRIES TO KILL ME, SO I'LL JUST STAY QUIET.
Y-YUUJI! WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?! I'M NOT PANICKY OR ANYTHING...!
Y-YOU THINK SO...?
GEEZ, AK!! YOU CAN JUST TELL ME THOSE THINGS, YOU KNOW!! ...DUMMY.
OH YEAH? THEN I'LL JUST COME OUT AND SAY IT.

SEE?! SHE IS GONNA KILL ME!
I'LL CRUSH YOUR EYES LIKE GRAPES. BOTH OF THEM.
BOY, ARE YOUR BOOBS SMALL.

GAAAH!! MY EYES!! MY EYES!!
START
...DON'T LOOK AT ANY OTHER GIRLS, YUUJI.
YOU CAN ONLY SAY THAT BECAUSE YOU'RE NOT THE VICTIM HERE!
YEAH... YUUJI'S EYES WERE A SMALL PRICE TO PAY TO SEE THIS.
OH MY GOD... SHE'S GRACEFUL EVEN WHILE POKING HIS EYES OUT..
SHOUKO.
...YES?
HEY, YUUJI, DON'TCHA HAVE SOMETHIN' TO SAY?
...THANK YOU.
WOOOW... YOU'RE REEEALLY PRETTY..


I CAN'T SEE! WHAT COULD BE MORE IMPORTANT THAT THAT?!
YOU IDIOT! YOU HAVE SOMETHING MORE IMPORTANT TO SAY!!
GET ME A TISSUE. THE RIVER OF TEARS WON'T STOP.


U-UH, MUTT-SULINI?
GEEZ. YUUJI'S SUCH A HANDFUL, ISN'T HE, MUTT-SULINI?

BWUH? WHAT FOR?
DRIP
...SORRY, AKIHISA.

...GO ON... WITHOUT ME...
M-MUTT-SULINI?!
MUTT-SULIIINI!!!!
!!
CURSES! WHO WAS IT?! WHO DID THIS TO MUTTSULINI?!
A LIVING WEAPON STOOD BEFORE ME.
I-I'M SORRY. IT TOOK SOME TIME TO TIE MY BIKINI TOGETHER...

UM, IS SOMETHING THE MATTER WITH AKIHISA?
OH, MIZUKI. I DUNNO WHY, BUT...

A-AKI?! WHAT ARE YOU...?!
DON'T LOOK!!

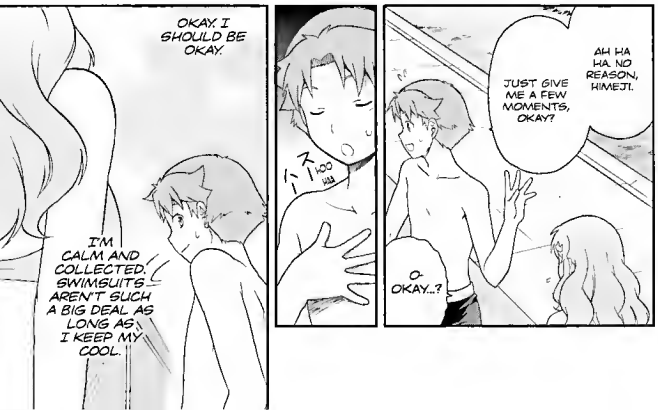
THAT WAS CLOSE! IF I'D LOOKED AT IT DIRECTLY, I'D HAVE BEEN A GONER!
HUFF
HUFF

CRAP! MINAMI'S UNDER ITS EFFECTS, TOO!
MINAMI?
AKI SUDDENLY JABBED HIS OWN... EYES...

WHEW... I CAN FINALLY SEE AGAI...
Worauf für einem Standard hat Gott jene unterschieden, die haden, und jene, die nicht haben?! Was war für mich ungenugend!!
OH GOD, BY WHAT STANDARD DID YOU SEPARATE HUMANS INTO THE HAVES AND THE HAVE-NOTS? HOW AM I NOT DESERVING...?!
M-MINAMI...

WOOOW.. YOU HAVE REALLY BIG BOOBS..
NGAAAH!! WHY?! WHY AGAIN?!
JUB
..DON'T LOOK, YUUJI.

?
UM, W-WHY ARE YOU ALL LOOKING AWAY..?


OKAY. I SHOULD BE OKAY.
I'M CALM AND COLLECTED. SWIMSUITS AREN'T SUCH A BIG DEAL AS LONG AS I KEEP MY COOL.
JUST GIVE ME A FEW MOMENTS, OKAY?
AH HA HA. NO REASON, HIMEJI.
O-OKAY..?

SORRY, HIMEJI. I NEED A FEW MORE MOMENTS.
O-OKAY. I DON'T UNDERSTAND, BUT I'LL WAIT.

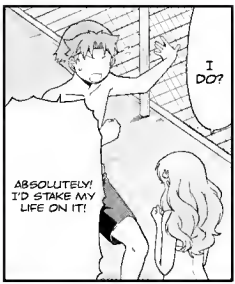
A-AKIHISA ?!
SMACK
FINE WEATHER WE'RE HAVING, ISN'T IT?

I HAVE TO LET MY MIND GO ABSOLUTELY BLANK.
LET EVERYTHING FADE TO WHITE...

I HAVE TO PUSH THAT GLORIOUS SIGHT OUT OF MY MIND, FOR MY OWN HEALTH.

YES, AS WHITE AS HIMEJI'S CLEAR, PURE SKIN...

SHUP
ARE YOU OKAY, BUTT-HEAD?
YEAH, THANKS, HAZUKI.
O-OH, NO! AKIHISA'S BLEEDING TO DEATH!!
SPURT
NOW LET'S TRY THIS AGAIN.
GLARE
UM... AKIHISA? HELLO?
I WANT TO SAY SOMETHING, BUT I CAN'T FIND THE WORDS...


I DO?
ABSOLUTELY! I'D STAKE MY LIFE ON IT!

I-IT'S NOT STRANGE!
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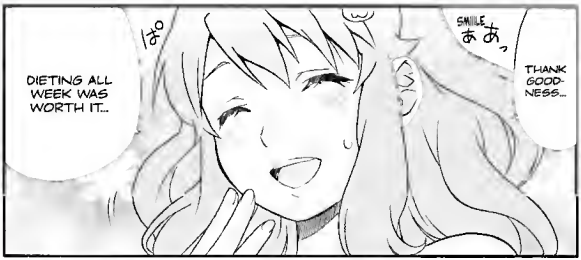
YOU LOOK PRETTY GOOD!

DO I LOOK THAT STRANGE ...?


SMILE
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THANK GOOD-NESS...
DIETING ALL WEEK WAS WORTH IT...

AND, IF... MINAMI HAD EVEN ONE-FIFTH OF THAT, SHE'D BE AVERAGE SIZE...
GRRR
YOU REALLY ARE MY ENEMY, MIZUKI...
I'LL REMEMBER THIS...!

THIS IS LESS THAN NORMAL?!
WHAT IF SHE WERE AT FULL CAPACITY?!
GUUWE
GUUWE
JIGGLE
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QUIVER
QUIVER
I KNOW. I FEEL YOUR PAIN, MUTTSULINI...!
...HIDEYOSHI IN TRUNKS...

H-HRK... I STILL CAN'T SEE... IS EVERYONE HERE?

HIDEYOSHI HASN'T SHOWN UP YET.

THIS IS NOTHING NEW, HAZUKI. AKI GIVES ME NOTHING BUT WORRY...
JERK

BUTT-HEAD?
WHY ARE YOU CRYING?
DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME.
I JUST GOT A LITTLE SAD, THAT'S ALL.

TAP
MY APOLOGIES FOR THE LATE ENTRANCE. THE POOL IS QUITE FAR FROM THE MAIN BUILDING.

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NOT AT ALL,
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HIDEYOSHI.
KEEP CALM AND SPEAK EARTH-LING, AKIHISA.
H-HOW DO I LOOK?
DO I SEEM MORE MAS-CULINE?
WOW! YOU'RE REALLY CUTE, MISS!
HM? "CUTE"?
LITTLE SHIMADA, AS YOU CAN SEE, I'M A BOY.

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DOOOM
HOW COULD YOU FEIGN INNOCENCE, THEN TURN AROUND AND STAB US IN THE BACK?!
HOW VILE, KINOSHITA..!
K-KINOSHITA..! WHY DO YOU HAVE TO KEEP GETTING IN OUR WAY?!

W-WHAT?!
FUEH? BUT THAT'S A GIRL SWIMSUIT.

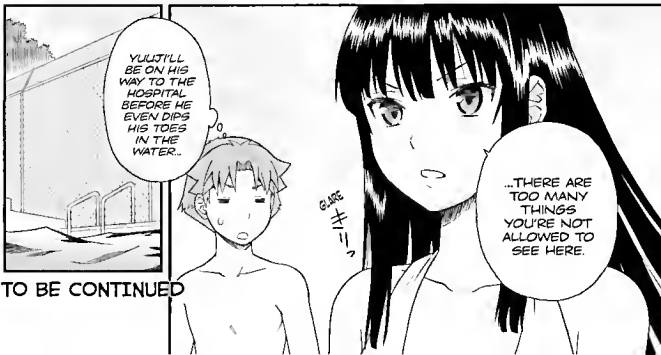
N-NO! I BOUGHT MEN'S SWIMWEAR!!
...I PLEDGE MY ETERNAL FRIENDSHIP AND CARNAL DESIRE ON YOUR SWIMSUIT.
TWINGS UP
WE BELIEVED IN YOU, HIDE-YOSHI!!

I-I THOUGHT IT SEEMED A BIT UNCONVENTIONAL FOR MEN'S WEAR...
S-SO I FAILED...
SOLIDS

YEAH, I WOULD'VE STEERED YOU OVER TO THE GIRL TRUNKS, TOO.

ANYONE WOULD HAVE MADE THAT MISTAKE IF YOU SAID IT LIKE THAT..
I EVEN TOLD THE STORE CLERK I WANTED NORMAL, BOY-STYLE SWIMWEAR !!

...YUUJI, HOW ARE YOUR EYES?
HM? OH, THEY'RE GONNA BE OKAY.
I'VE PRETTY MUCH RECOVERED MY SIGHT.
BUT YOU KNOW, YOU WOULDN'T HAVE TO ASK IF YOU HADN'T..


YUUJI'LL BE ON HIS WAY TO THE HOSPITAL BEFORE HE EVEN DIPS HIS TOES IN THE WATER..
GLARE
...THERE ARE TOO MANY THINGS YOU'RE NOT ALLOWED TO SEE HERE.

TO BE CONTINUED

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HOP
WHOO HOO!!
SPLOOSH
UM, AKIHISA?
WHAT'S UP, HIMEJI?

QUESTION 27

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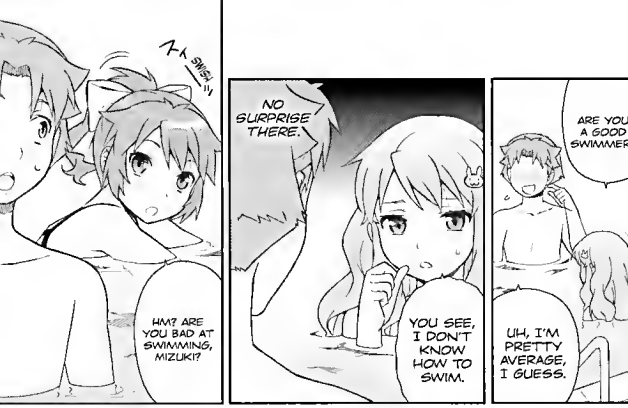
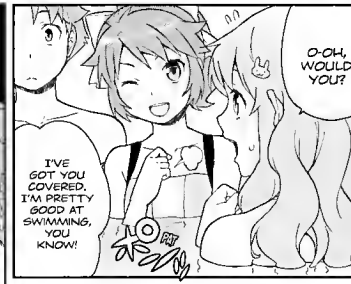
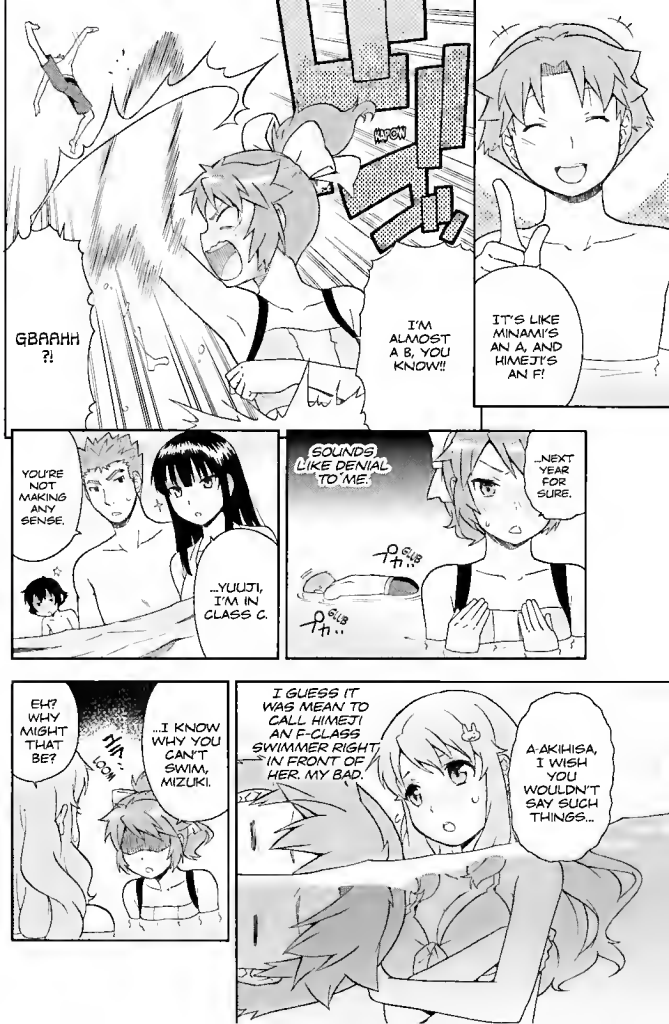

ARE YOU A GOOD SWIMMER?
UH, I'M PRETTY AVERAGE, I GUESS.
NO SURPRISE THERE.
YOU SEE, I DON'T KNOW HOW TO SWIM.
SWISH!!!
HM? ARE YOU BAD AT SWIMMING, MIZUKI?

I'M EMBARRASSED TO ADMIT IT...
...BUT ALL I CAN DO IS FLOAT.
HOW ABOUT I TEACH YOU TO SWIM...
...AS THANKS FOR HELPING ME STUDY?

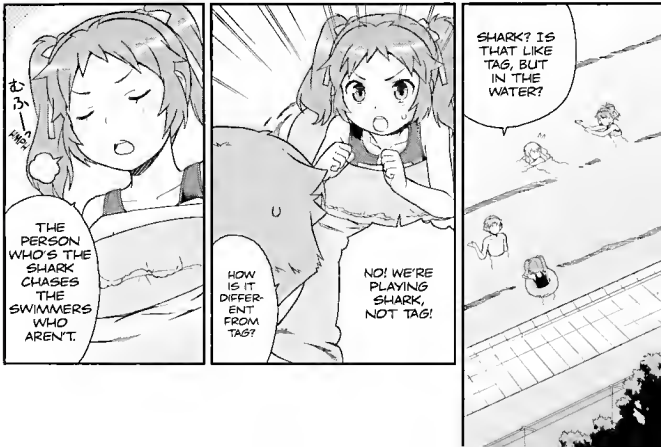
NOW THIS COULD BE INTERESTING.
A GIRL WITH CLASS A GRADES LIKE HIMEJI BEING TAUGHT BY A GIRL WITH CLASS F GRADES LIKE MINAMI...
HMMM...


O-OH, WOULD YOU?
I'VE GOT YOU COVERED. I'M PRETTY GOOD AT SWIMMING, YOU KNOW!
PAT

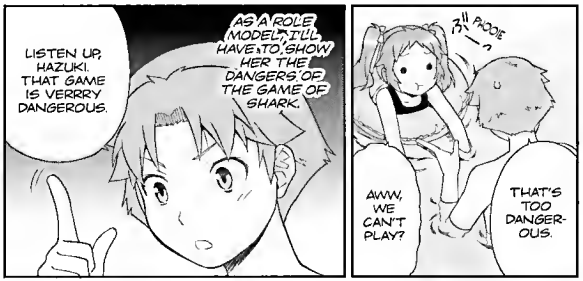

KUPOW
GBAAHH ?!
I'M ALMOST A B, YOU KNOW!!
IT'S LIKE MINAMI'S AN A, AND HIMEJI'S AN F!
YOU'RE NOT MAKING ANY SENSE.
...YUUJI, I'M IN CLASS C.
SOUNDS LIKE DENIAL TO ME.
...NEXT YEAR FOR SURE.
GULP
GULP
EH? WHY MIGHT THAT BE?
...I KNOW WHY YOU CAN'T SWIM, MIZUKI.
I GUESS IT WAS MEAN TO CALL HIMEJI AN F-CLASS SWIMMER RIGHT IN FRONT OF HER. MY BAD.
A-AKIHISA, I WISH YOU WOULDN'T SAY SUCH THINGS...

YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND, MIZUKI!
YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND THE SORROW OF THOSE OF US WHO CAN SWIM LIKE FISH BECAUSE OF OUR LOWER WATER RESISTANCE!
B-BUT I CAN'T CHANGE IT...
M-MINAMI! PLEASE STOP SHOUTING!
PUMP
TAKE THEM OFF! AND GIVE THEM TO ME!
BOING
BECAUSE YOU'VE RELIED ON THOSE FLOATING DEVICES FOR WAY TOO LONG!
HEE HEE HEE.. YOU'LL NEED TO EXERCISE EEEEXTRA HARD TO BURN THAT EXCESS FAT OFF.
GWEH
A-AKIHISA?!
SWOOP
WELP, YOU TWO HAVE FUN.
CREEP
I CAN DEAL WITH STIFF SHOULDERS!
B-BUT THERE ARE SOME DISADVANTAGES TO HAVING THEM.
THEY GIVE ME STIFF SHOULDERS ..

MISTER!
SPLASH
WBLUH ?!
OKAY. WHAT DO YOU WANNA PLAY?
LET'S PLAAAY.. SHARK!
SPLOOSH
H-HUH?!
AHEH HEH! PLAY WITH ME!


SHARK? IS THAT LIKE TAG, BUT IN THE WATER?
NO! WE'RE PLAYING SHARK, NOT TAG!
HOW IS IT DIFFERENT FROM TAG?
THE PERSON WHO'S THE SHARK CHASES THE SWIMMERS WHO AREN'T.
むふー
HM?

THIS SHARK GAME IS REALISTIC!
AND THAT'S WHY WE CAN'T JUST CALL IT "TAG."
AN' IF THE SHARK...
...DRAGS THEM UNDERWATER AND DROWNS THEM, THEY WIN!
SO IT'S EXACTLY THE SAME AS TAG.

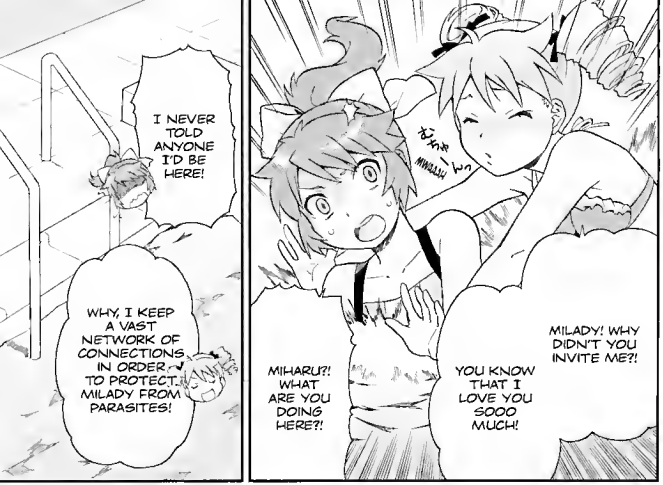

LISTEN UP, HAZUKI. THAT GAME IS VERRRY DANGEROUS.
AS A ROLE MODEL, I'LL HAVE TO SHOW HER THE DANGERS OF THE GAME OF SHARK.
POOTE
AWW, WE CAN'T PLAY?
THAT'S TOO DANGER-OUS.

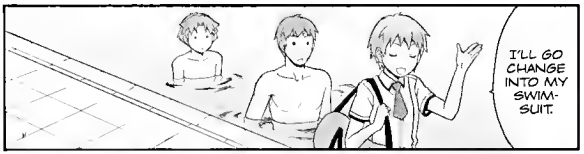
YES?
SHIN
HEEEY, MISS KIRI-SHIMA!
LET ME SHOW YOU HOW.

I WANT YOU TO SHOW HAZUKI HOW TO PLAY "SHARK."
THE RULES ARE THAT YOU WIN BY DRAGGING YUUJI UNDERWATER, DROWNING HIM...
...AND THEN REVIVING HIM WITH MOUTH-TO-MOUTH.
...I'LL BE BACK.
SMOOP
SPLASH
HUH? WAZZAT?
WHAT THE?! WH-WHO'S... WHO'S PULLING ME...
SPLOOSH
SPLASH
...DROWN FASTER, YUUJI.
BLUSH
KA-HAH!! SHOUKO?! WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU...!

SPLASH
OKAY... I DON'T WANNA PLAY SHARK ANYMORE...
SEE? DANGER-OUS.
AKIHISA! YOU CAUSED THIS, DIDN'T YOU?!
I'M GLAD SHE UNDERSTANDS.
ONE OR TWO YUUJIS IS A SMALL PRICE TO PAY TO TEACH A LESSON ABOUT THE PRECIOUSNESS OF LIFE.
...SORRY.
SPLISH SPLASH
SPLISH SPLASH
SPLISH SPLASH
HO CRAP! NO GOOD, MISS KIRISHIMA!!
YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO HOLD ONTO HIM TIGHT!!
HUH? REP, YOU'RE THE ONE USING THE POOL?
WOW! YOU'RE SOOO FAST!

...AIKO?
KUDOU? FROM CLASS A?
WHAT'RE YOU DOING HERE?
ME? I'M IN THE SWIMMING CLUB.
BUT THEY DON'T HAVE PRACTICE TODAY.
YEAH, WHICH I TOTALLY FORGOT. MIND IF I JOIN YOU GUYS?
WE'RE NOT GONNA COM-PLAIN.
IT'S NOT LIKE WE OWN THE POOL.
WE ALREADY HAVE AN EXTRA SWIMMER, ANYWAY.


I NEVER TOLD ANYONE I'D BE HERE!
WHY, I KEEP A VAST NETWORK OF CONNECTIONS IN ORDER TO PROTECT MILADY FROM PARASITES!
MIHARU?! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?!
YOU KNOW THAT I LOVE YOU SOOO MUCH!
MILADY! WHY DIDN'T YOU INVITE ME?!


I'LL GO CHANGE INTO MY SWIM-SUIT.

UHHH... DID SHE JUST GIVE US PERMISSION TO PEEP ON HER?
FOR GUYS, WHEN A GIRL IS INTENTIONALLY PROVOCATIVE, THERE'S NO WAY TO AVOID TAKING THE BAIT.

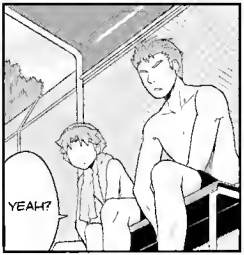
IF YOU'RE GONNA PEEP, DON'T GET CAUGHT! ♪

THIS VICIOUS AURA COULD KILL AN ELEPHANT!
NO CHOICE. WE'LL LEAVE THIS IN MUTTSULINI'S CAPABLE HANDS!
GULP

TWITCH
AKIHISA, IF YOU MAKE ANY UNNECESSARY MOVEMENTS, THINGS COULD GET HAIRY.
...YUUJI. MAKE A MOVE AND I'LL CRUSH YOU.

HEY, YUUJI?

HEY, WHERE'S MUTT-SULINI?
LOOK FOR YOUR-SELF.

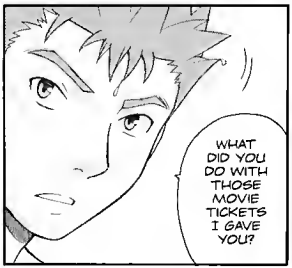

YEAH?

SO THAT'S WHY HE'S BEEN SO QUIET.
HE'S PREOCCUPIED WITH REPLENISHING HIS BLOOD SUPPLY.

DOOOM!
DON'T WORRY. IT'S NOT JUST YOU.
DOESN'T THIS GAME OF WATER VOLLEYBALL SEEM AWFULLY... INTENSE?
SHISH!
THIS MAY JUST BE ME, BUT...
UH-HUH?

DON'T THINK YOU CAN BEST ME IN SPORTS!
YOU WON'T WIN, MINAMI!

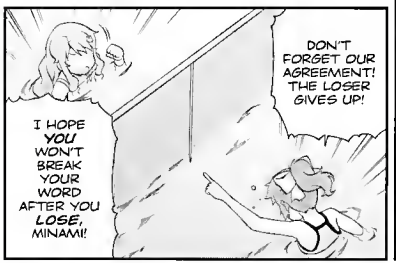
THE ONES HE SAID WERE TO THANK ME FOR THE WEDDING EXPERIENCE?
LET'S SEE...


WHAT DID YOU DO WITH THOSE MOVIE TICKETS I GAVE YOU?

WHAT IS IT, YUUJI?
BY THE WAY, AKI-HISA...

HUH? WHA?
...THAT'S GOT TO BE THE REASON.

HIMEJI AND MINAMI BOTH REALLY WANTED TO GO TO THE MOVIES.
SO I SAID THEY SHOULD GO TOGETHER, AND GAVE THEM BOTH THE TICKETS.


DON'T FORGET OUR AGREEMENT! THE LOSER GIVES UP!
I HOPE YOU WON'T BREAK YOUR WORD AFTER YOU LOSE, MINAMI!

MY, MY. HIMEJI AND SHIMADA GOING TOE TO TOE?
WHO'S WINNING?
HIMEJI, FOR NOW.

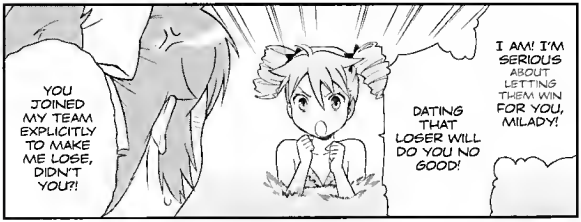
IF THEY WERE PLAYING ONE-ON-ONE, SURE.
HMM, JUT

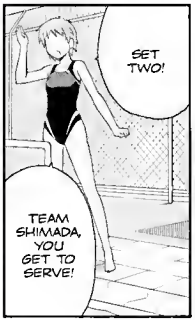
THAT'S SURPRISING.
I THOUGHT SHIMADA WOULD HAVE THE ADVANTAGE IN SPORTS.

SHE COULD BE ON PAR WITH SHIMADA. IMPRESSIVE!
THAT EXPLAINS IT. KIRISHIMA APPEARS TO BE QUITE THE ATHLETE.
KYA— SQUEAL
WHAP
WHAP
FIDGET FIDGET
ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE STAGE, SHIMADA'S PARTNER IS SUSPICIOUS.
MIHARU, YOU'RE GOING EASY ON THEM, AREN'T YOU?!
SMACK
OH NOOO!
WHOOP
YOU THINK SO TOO, HIDE-YOSHI?
SHE SEEMS TO BE ACTING CLUMSY ON PURPOSE.

I ABSOLUTELY REFUSE TO LOSE THIS MATCH! YOU BETTER GET SERIOUS!

I'M POURING EVERY FIBER OF MY BEING INTO LETTING THEM WIN THIS MATCH FOR YOU!
I WOULD NEVER, MILADY!


YOU JOINED MY TEAM EXPLICITLY TO MAKE ME LOSE, DIDN'T YOU?!
DATING THAT LOSER WILL DO YOU NO GOOD!
I AM! I'M SERIOUS ABOUT LETTING THEM WIN FOR YOU, MILADY!


SET TWO!
TEAM SHIMADA, YOU GET TO SERVE!

TEAM HIMEJI WINS THE FIRST SET!
SCORE! THAT'S FIFTEEN POINTS!
SPLASH SPLASH

W... WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO SOONER?!
LOOK, MILADY! THE BALL!
WHOOSH

SHIMADA DOESN'T STAND A CHANCE WITH A PARTNER LIKE THAT.
ZERO TO ONE.
OH NOOO! SILLY MEEE!
WHACK
BEGIN!
...MIHARU, METHINKS YOU NEED A REMINDER. SERVE LIKE YOU MEAN IT.
THE MATCH IS AS GOOD AS DECIDED.
MINAMI'S GOOD, BUT SHE CAN'T WIN WHEN IT'S THREE AGAINST ONE.
IF YOU DON'T PLAY LIKE YOUR LIFE DEPENDS ON IT, AFTER ALL THE TIMES I'VE REPRIMANDED YOU...
BUT I AM PLAYING LIKE MY LIFE DEPENDS ON IT, I SWEAR!
SPARE ME THE BAD ACTING. THIS IS YOUR FINAL WARNING.
BELIEVE ME, MILADY! I WOULD NEVER LIE TO YOU!
I'VE PUT MY VERY HEART AND SOUL INTO THIS BATTLE!
H-HOW CAN YOU DOUBT ME, MILADY?!

KAPOW

...TOMORROW I'LL START CALLING YOU "MISS SHIMIZU."

WHOA. EVEN SHOUKO COULDN'T RETURN THAT...
HOW DID SHE MANAGE SUCH A SERVE WITH A BEACH BALL?!
DID YOU SEE THAT SERVE?!

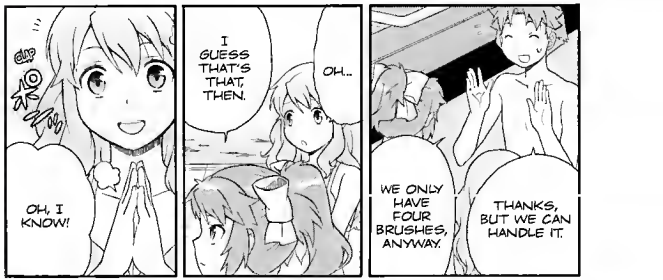
TEAM SHIMADA STANDS TO MAKE A BIG COMEBACK NOW.

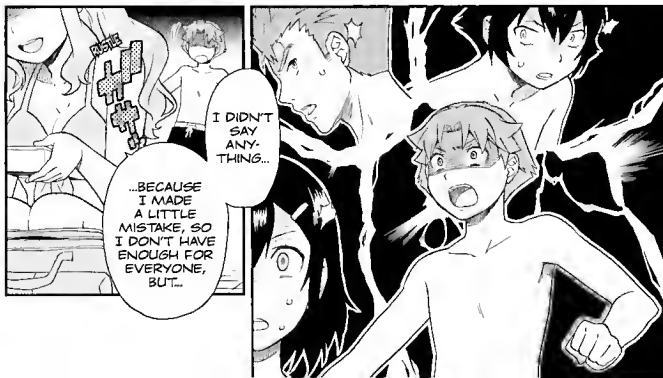
YES. BY NO MEANS IS HIMEJI A SPORTS-WOMAN.

I'M SORRY, MILADY! I LIED TO YOU!
I FORGIVE YOU, MIHARU! WE CAN STILL BE FRIENDS!

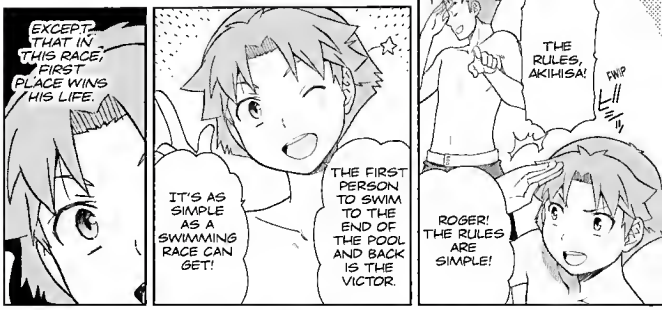
SPLASH!
I'LL FIND ANOTHER. REST, MILADIES!
AH...! I'M SORRY!
I DON'T KNOW MY OWN STRENGTH.
GULP
GULP
INCREDIBLE. SHE STRUCK WITH SUCH FORCE THAT THE BEACH BALL BURST.
POP
O-OH! THANK YOU.
I'M GLAD I GET TO SPEND TIME WITH EVERY-ONE.
YOU GIRLS ARE ALL FIRED UP. IT'S BEEN FUN WATCHING THE MATCH.
SO AM I. LET'S FOLLOW HER SUGGES-TION.
WHEW
...I'M A BIT TIRED.
OH YEAH. I NEVER EXPLAINED?
BY THE WAY, HOW DID YOU BORROW THE POOL?
OH, SOME STUFF HAP-PENED...
...AND WE GOT PERMISSION TO USE THE POOL TODAY IF WE CLEAN IT.

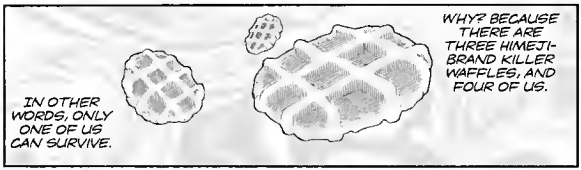
I'D FEEL AWFUL IF I DIDN'T.
I'LL HELP, AS WELL!
YOU'RE CLEANING THE POOL? SHOULD I HELP, TOO?
YUP! BUT IT'S NOT LIKE IT'S A ONE-MAN OPERATION.
ME, YUUJI, HIDE-YOSHI, AND MUTT-SULINI ARE ALL CHIPPING IN.
EH? THE WHOLE POOL?!

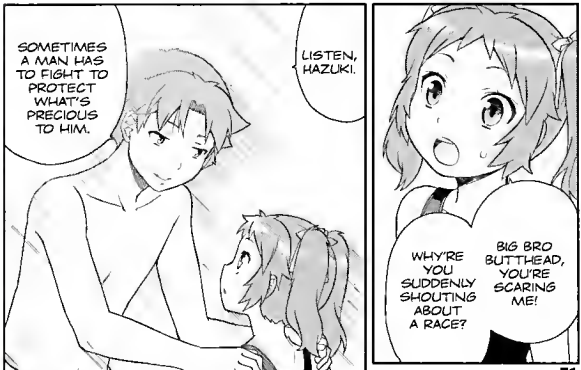

OH, I KNOW!
I GUESS THAT'S THAT, THEN.
OH..
WE ONLY HAVE FOUR BRUSHES, ANYWAY.
THANKS, BUT WE CAN HANDLE IT.

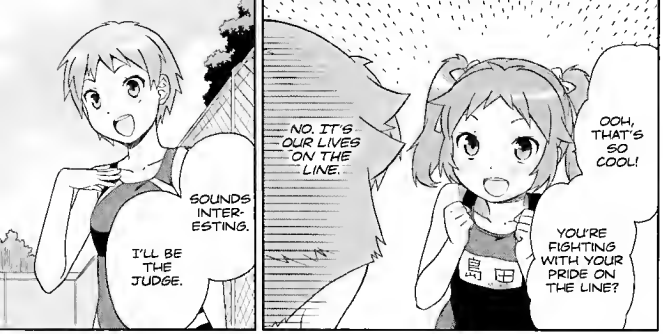

...BECAUSE I MADE A LITTLE MISTAKE, SO I DON'T HAVE ENOUGH FOR EVERYONE, BUT...
I DIDN'T SAY ANY-THING...

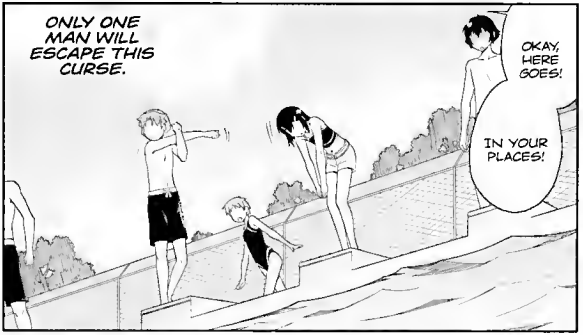
WHOOSH
THE FIRST ANNUAL SPEED DEMON...
THIS MORNING I MADE THREE DESSERT WAFFLES ...
AN-NOUN-CING!
...SWIM-OFF!!
DUN DUN
WHOOOO!!
ポカーン...


EXCEPT THAT IN THIS RACE, FIRST PLACE WINS HIS LIFE.
IT'S AS SIMPLE AS A SWIMMING RACE CAN GET!
THE FIRST PERSON TO SWIM TO THE END OF THE POOL AND BACK IS THE VICTOR.
THE RULES, AKIHISA!
PAP
ROGER! THE RULES ARE SIMPLE!

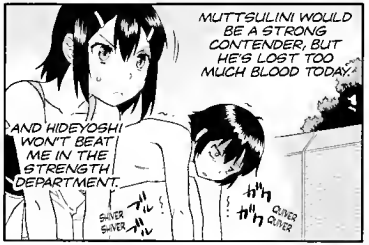

IN OTHER WORDS, ONLY ONE OF US CAN SURVIVE.
WHY? BECAUSE THERE ARE THREE HIMEJI-BRAND KILLER WAFFLES, AND FOUR OF US.

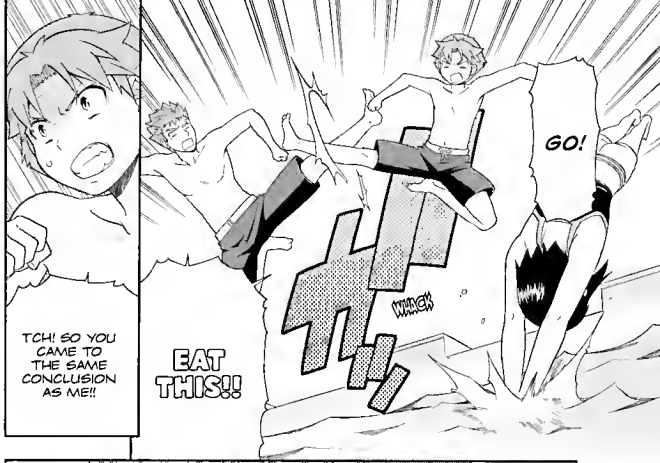

SOMETIMES A MAN HAS TO FIGHT TO PROTECT WHAT'S PRECIOUS TO HIM.
LISTEN, HAZUKI.
WHY'RE YOU SUDDENLY SHOUTING ABOUT A RACE?
BIG BRO BUTTHEAD, YOU'RE SCARING ME!

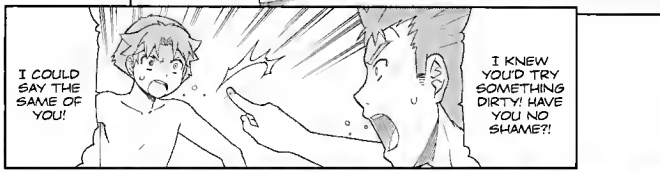

OOH, THAT'S SO COOL!
YOU'RE FIGHTING WITH YOUR PRIDE ON THE LINE?
NO. IT'S OUR LIVES ON THE LINE.
SOUNDS INTER-ESTING.
I'LL BE THE JUDGE.

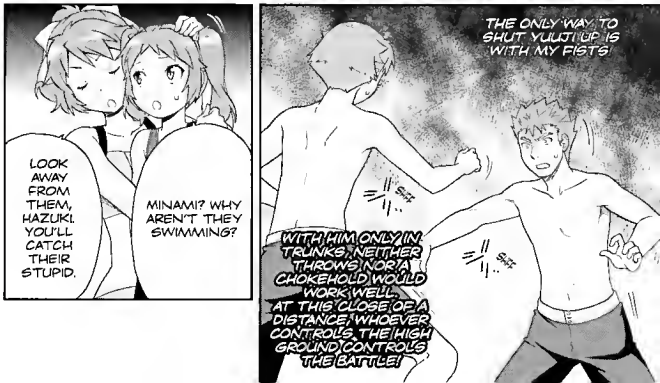

ONLY ONE MAN WILL ESCAPE THIS CURSE.
OKAY, HERE GOES!
IN YOUR PLACES!

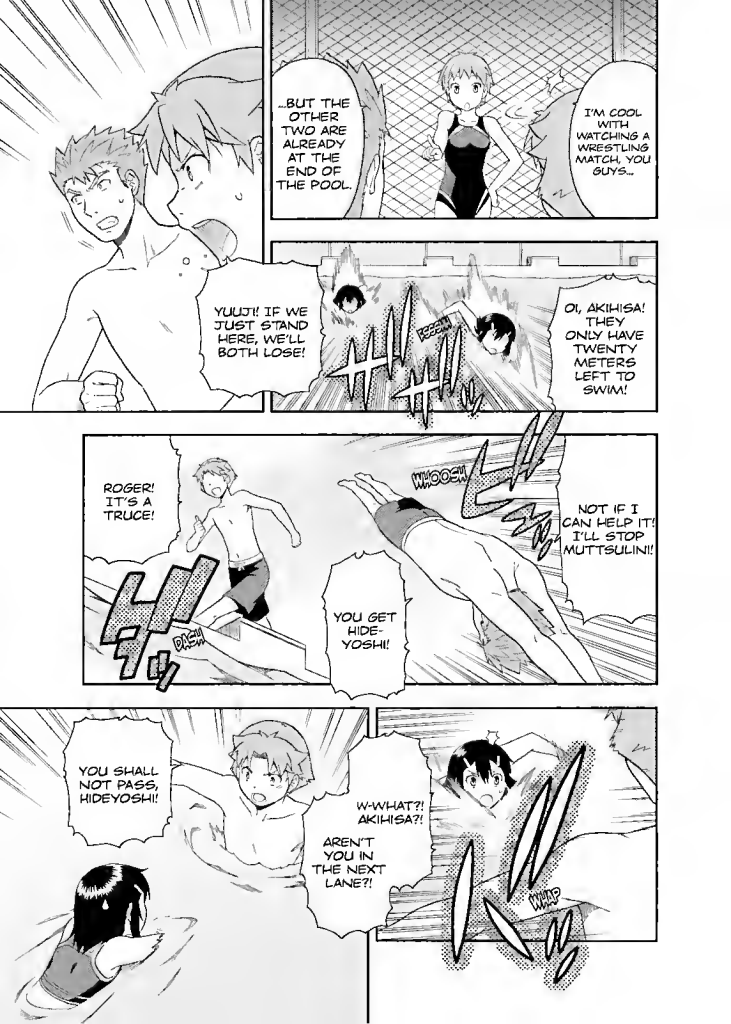
WHICH MEANS I HAVE ONLY ONE OPPONENT.
READY, SET...


MUTTSULIN! WOULD BE A STRONG CONTENDER, BUT HE'S LOST TOO MUCH BLOOD TODAY.
AND HIDEYOSHI WON'T BEAT ME IN THE STRENGTH DEPARTMENT.
SHIVER SHIVER
QUIVER QUIVER


GO!
WHACK
EAT THIS!!
TCH! SO YOU CAME TO THE SAME CONCLUSION AS ME!!


I KNEW YOU'D TRY SOMETHING DIRTY! HAVE YOU NO SHAME?!
I COULD SAY THE SAME OF YOU!


LOOK AWAY FROM THEM, HAZUKI. YOU'LL CATCH THEIR STUPID.
MINAMI? WHY AREN'T THEY SWIMMING?
THE ONLY WAY TO SHUT YUUJI UP IS WITH MY FISTS!
SIZZ
SIZZ
WITH HIM ONLY IN TRUNKS, NEITHER THROWS NOR A CHOKEHOLD WOULD WORK WELL. AT THIS CLOSE OF A DISTANCE, WHOEVER CONTROLS THE HIGH GROUND CONTROLS THE BATTLE!

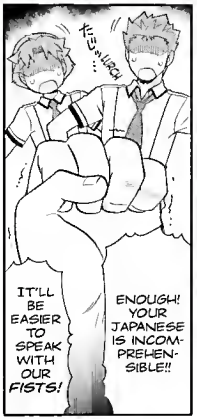

I'M COOL WITH WATCHING A WRESTLING MATCH, YOU GUYS...
...BUT THE OTHER TWO ARE ALREADY AT THE END OF THE POOL.
OI, AKIHISA! THEY ONLY HAVE TWENTY METERS LEFT TO SWIM!
SCRAM!
YUUJ!! IF WE JUST STAND HERE, WE'LL BOTH LOSE!
NOT IF I CAN HELP IT! I'LL STOP MUTTSULIN!!
WHOOSH
YOU GET HIDE-YOSHI!
DASH!
ROGER! IT'S A TRUCE!
W-WHAT?! AKIHISA?!
AREN'T YOU IN THE NEXT LANE?!
WHAP
YOU SHALL NOT PASS, HIDEYOSHI!

I'LL NEVER LET GOOOO!!
GWSH
AKIHISA! LET GO!
WOBBLE
...?
H-HUH?
SWIP
BWUH?
YOUR HAND! LOOK!
A-AKIHISA! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!

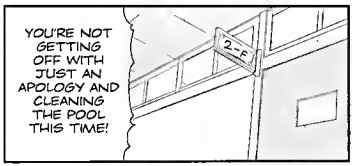
MM? MY CHEST DOES SUDDENLY FEEL COOLER.
AH HA HA! THIS THING KINDA LOOKS LIKE HIDEYOSHI'S BIKINI TOP.
SQUIRT
...I DIE WITH NO REGRETS...!!
?!
I-I-I'M SORRY!
I DIDN'T SEE ANYTHING, I SWEAR TO GOD!

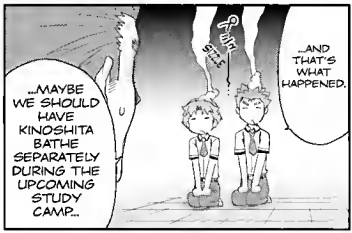
STOP IT, AKIHISA! I'M A BOY!
BLUUSH
WHY ARE YOU SHAKING?!
WHOA! YOU OKAY, MUTT-SULIN!?!
BWAH
CALD
...I'VE NEVER BEEN BETTER...!
CALD
OH MY GOD!! MUTTSULIN!!! WHY?!
BONG
K-KINOSHITA! COVER YOUR CHEST!
TSUCHIYA'S BLEEDING OUT!
NO, NO, NO, NO!
SHAVE
I'M A BOY!
SHAVE SHAVE
KINOSHITA, THIS IS NO TIME TO BE SELFISH!
TSUCHIYA COULD DIE!
I DON'T NEED TO COVER UP!

2-F
...YOSHII SAKAMOTO. A WORD.
THE BUTTHEADS ARE ALWAYS HAVING FUN. I WANNA PLAY, TOO!
I LOVE YOU, MILADY...
...AIKO, WILL YOU CALL AN AMBULANCE?
UH HUH! HEH, CLASS F KIDS ARE SURE SOMETHING.
YOU'RE COMING DOWN TO THE STUDENT COUNSELING ROOM TO EXPLAIN!
...THAT THE POOL IS DIRTIER THAN BEFORE?! AND WITH BLOODSTAINS ?!
I PLEAD THE FIFTH.
I DECLINE.
..WHY IS IT...
TRMB. TRMB.



YEAH! IT WAS SERIOUSLY A LIFE-OR-DEATH SITUATION!
YOU SHOULD BE PRAISING US FOR AVOIDING ANY CASUALTIES!!
YOU WANT TO LECTURE US?!





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QUESTION 28
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MORNING, HIDEYOSHI. I GUESS I WOKE UP EARLY.
2-F
KLAK
HMM? YOU'RE EARLIER THAN USUAL, AKIHISA.
EXCITED TO LEAVE ON THE STUDY CAMP TOMORROW, ARE YOU?
AH HA HA, MAYBE.
THOUGH THE AIM IS TO STRENGTHEN OUR ACADEMIC SKILLS, WE'LL BE ON A TRIP WITH FRIENDS.
IT'S ONLY NATURAL TO BE EXCITED.
MY CHEST IS FULL OF BUTTER-FLIES.
GEEZ. YOUR CHEST ISN'T BIG ENOUGH TO HOLD ANY BUTTER-FLIES.
TEE HEE
I SHOULD HOPE MY CHEST ISN'T BIG...
BUT YOU'RE RIGHT. FOUR NIGHTS, FIVE DAYS! IT FEELS LIKE A REAL FIELD TRIP, SO I'VE BEEN LOOKING FORWARD TO...
HUH? WHAT'S THAT?
ASTE

QUESTION 28

第Q28問

...!!
To Akihisa Yoshii

S-S-S-STAY CALM, AKIHISA YOSHII. IF MY CLASSMATES NOTICE THAT I HAVE THIS, GOD HELP ME, THEY'LL GO MAD WITH JEALOUSY AND SENTENCE ME TO A QUICK DEATH...
I MUST REMAIN THE PICTURE OF CALM!
HM? WHAT IS IT?

IT WASN'T THE ACTING THAT TIPPED ME OFF, BUT THE LANGUAGE OF THE SCRIPT..
Y-YOU TRULY ARE A MASTER OF YOUR CRAFT, HIDEYOSHI.. TO THINK YOU'D SEE THROUGH MY PERFECT ACTING IN THE VERY FIRST SCENE...!
WOBBLE

DAMMIT! JUST LIKE THAT?!
SOME-THING'S UP!

Hola, Hideyoshi! Muy bien!

OKAY, ALL CLEAR.
HAVE THE BEST DAYS OF MY LIFE FINALLY COME...?!
A-AKIHISA?!
A-ANYWAY, IT'S NO BIGGIE! LATER!
I WONDER WHO WROTE THIS FOR ME?
カサ
SLIP.

THE BEST DAYS OF MY LIFE WERE STILL FAR, FAR AWAY.
AHHHH!!
I know your secret.
Stay away from
If you ignore this warning,
enclosed photos

WHAT IN THE WORLD, AKIHISA?

OH, MINAMI.
WHAT HAP-PENED?
WE COULD HEAR YOUR SCREAM THROUGH THE WINDOW.
STOP?
LYING LIAR.
I-IT'S NOTHING, REALLY. AH HA HA.

Cuh
カチ
カチ
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カチ
EVERYBODY OVERREACTS WHEN THEY HEAR THE WORDS "LOVE LETTER."

AWW, COME ON. I'M NOT HIDING ANYTH...
WHAT ARE YOU HIDING, HMM?

SUCH ACCUSATIONS ARE NOT TO BE MADE LIGHTLY, MINAMI.
GASP
OH MY GOD... DON'T TELL ME YOU GOT A LOVE LETTER!

TOO SOON FOR BOX CUTTERS, BOYS. STAND DOWN.
WHAT?
ZERO HESITANCE TO STAB THEIR FELLOW STUDENT? TERRIFYING CLASSMATES I HAVE.

DON'T YOU LOOK DOWN ON ME! EVEN I'VE GOT MY PRIDE!
SHE'LL NEVER MAKE ME TELL THE TRUTH!
WRONG
ガクガク...

NOBODY WOULD GIVE AKI A LOVE LETTER, ANYWAY.
HE'S GOT TO BE HIDING SOMETHING ELSE.

THIS MORNING, IN MY SHOE CUBBY, A LOVE LETTER WAS...
HO HO! AU CONTRAIRE!
NEXT YOU'LL LOSE AN EAR.
FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART, I'M SORRY.
"PRIDE"? WHAZZAT? SOME KINDA DELICACY?
CHK
CHK
CHK

I-IS THAT TRUE, AKI?
I-IT'S WAY TRUE!
BAM!
THRRR... ILLING INVITATION TO THE RACING SWIMSUIT FANCLUB!
OF ALL THE THINGS TO FLOAT TO THE TOP OF MY BRAIN, IT HAD TO BE THE DOCUMENTARY I WATCHED YESTERDAY: 24 HOURS WITH COMPETITION SWIMMERS: THE RACE TO THE OLYMPICS!
THERE MUST BE SOMETHING FROM THAT SHOW THAT I CAN USE AS AN ANSWER...
DON'T ASK ME. I KNOW ZILCH ABOUT RACING SWIMSUITS.
BUT WHY SPECIFICALLY RACING SWIMSUITS, OF ALL THINGS?
WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT THEM?
IT'S, UH... THE WAY...
THINK, MAN! WHAT PART OF IT LEFT THE BIGGEST IMPRESSION ON YOU?

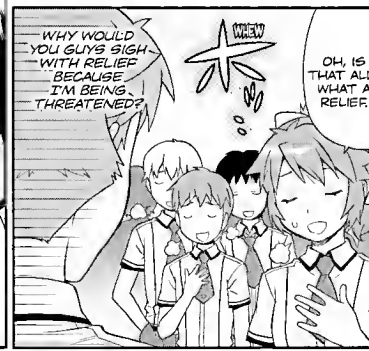
...THEY'RE PRACTICALLY GLUED TO THE BODY.
AM I A CREEP?
I THINK YOU KNOW THIS, SHIMADA, BUT JUST IN CASE...
TRMBL
AKIHISA'S LYING, OKAY?
HE'D NEVER HAVE SUCH STRANGE TASTE.
TRMBL

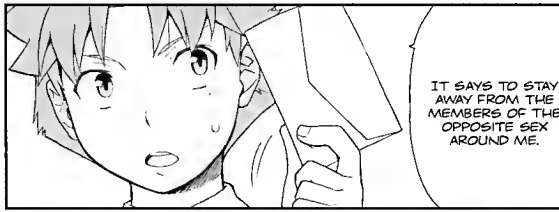
THIS IS YOUR LAST CHANCE. WHAT HAPPENED?
めきゃ
SMK
IF I DON'T FESS UP, MINAMI WILL KILL ME BEFORE THE BAD GUY CAN!

OKAY. THIS MORNING, I GOT A LETTER THREATENING ME.

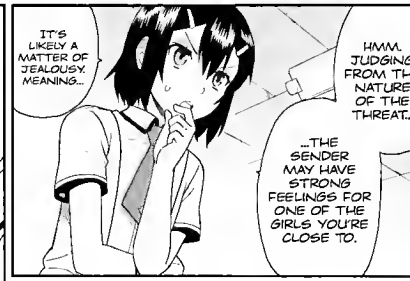
THAT HURTS! THAT HURTS SO BAD MY PILLOW WILL BE SOAKED WITH TEARS EVERY NIGHT!
WHA ?!
THAT LIE FELT SO REAL THAT I BELIEVED IT!

WHAT DOES THE LETTER IN QUESTION SAY?


WHY WOULD YOU GUYS SIGH WITH RELIEF BECAUSE I'M BEING THREATENED?
HMM
OH, IS THAT ALL? WHAT A RELIEF.


IT SAYS TO STAY AWAY FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE OPPOSITE SEX AROUND ME.

YEAH. THIS CONCERNS ONE OF THE TWO MEMBERS OF THE FAIRER SEX IN OUR CLASS.


IT'S LIKELY A MATTER OF JEALOUSY. MEANING...
HMM. JUDGING FROM THE NATURE OF THE THREAT...
...THE SENDER MAY HAVE STRONG FEELINGS FOR ONE OF THE GIRLS YOU'RE CLOSE TO.

AKIHISA, SHIMADA JUST LEFT TO GET A METAL BASEBALL BAT. YOU SHOULD EXIT STAGE LEFT WHILE YOU STILL CAN.
SOU?
SOU?
SOU?
THEY MUST HAVE A THING FOR EITHER HIMEJI OR HIDEYOSHI.
"IF YOU IGNORE THIS WARNING, I'LL RELEASE THE ENCLOSED PHOTOS TO THE PUBLIC."
PASTE
OH YEAH. I DIDN'T READ THAT FAR YET. LET'S SEE...
HOW ARE THEY BLACKMAILING YOU, IF I MAY ASK?
I DON'T APPRECIATE THE COMPLIMENT.
I FORGOT HOW GOOD IT LOOKED ON YOU.
W-WHEN DID SOME-BODY SNAP A PHOTO?
IT'S YOUR MAID UNIFORM FROM THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL.

...
PEEK
WHAT IS IT, AKIHISA?
MUTTER
BOXERS DON'T COUNT. BOXERS DON'T COUNT. BOXERS DON'T COUNT...
A PHOTO SO HORRIFYING THAT IT SHATTERED HIS VERY PSYCHE?!
?!
I'M NOT SCARED. I'M A STRONG GIR... GUY! THIS IS NOTHING!
BLACKMAIL? DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!
NOOOOO!!

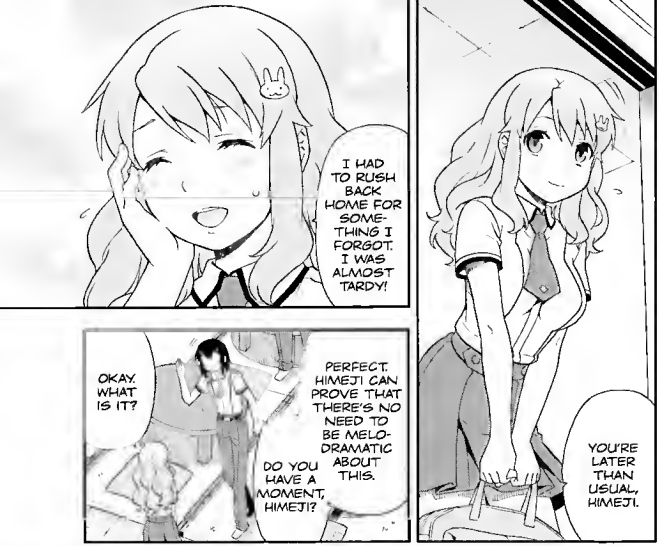
ALL EYES ARE ON YOU!
YOU MUST CALM YOUR-SELF!
ZAWA..
ZAWA..

WHAT IS IT?! WHAT TERRIBLE SCENE WAS MADE ETERNAL?!
ZAWAZAWA
YOU CAN'T LOOK! YOU CAN'T SEE ME SO SULLIED!

YOU'RE OVER-REACTING.
HUFF... HUFF... IT WAS HELLISH...
THEY WANT TO DRIVE ME TO SUICIDE...

AKIHISA, KINOSHITA. GOOD MORNING.

NOT A CHANCE.
EVERYONE DONS A MAID OUTFIT AT LEAST ONCE IN THEIR LIFE.


I HAD TO RUSH BACK HOME FOR SOMETHING I FORGOT. I WAS ALMOST TARDY!
YOU'RE LATER THAN USUAL, HIMEJI.
OKAY. WHAT IS IT?
PERFECT. HIMEJI CAN PROVE THAT THERE'S NO NEED TO BE MELODRAMATIC ABOUT THIS.
DO YOU HAVE A MOMENT, HIMEJI?
WHY DID YOU HAVE TO OPEN WITH THAT PART?
I HAVE A QUESTION FOR YOU.
WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF THERE WERE A PHOTO OF AKIHISA IN A MAID OUTFIT?
HMM... LET ME THINK...
IF IT CREEPS HIMEJI OUT, I CAN'T LET THOSE PHOTOS GO PUBLIC...!
HMMM... うーん..

IF THAT WERE TRUE...
SMILE
FIRST, I'D BUY A SCANNER.

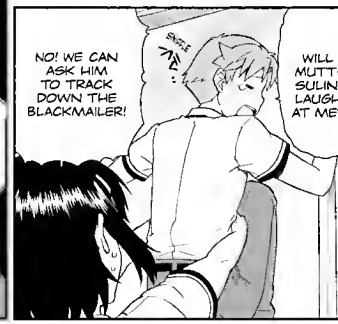
...I COULD SHARE YOUR CHARM WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD THROUGH THE INTERNET.
BECAUSE THAT'S THE ONLY WAY...

BWUH? WHY A SCANNER?
WELL, BE-CAUSE...

I-I KNOW! MUTT-SULIN!!
TELL MUTTSULIN!! HE'S WELL-VERSED IN THIS SORT OF PLOT!

LET ME GO, HIDEYOSHI! I DON'T WANNA LIVE IN THIS WORLD ANY LONGER!
AKIHISA, STEP AWAY FROM THE WINDOW! IT'S NOT YOUR TIME!

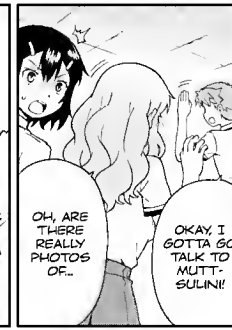
OH YEAH! IT IS TOO EARLY TO GIVE UP!
MUTTSULIN! IS AN EXPERT ON SPY GADGETS AND INTELLIGENCE GATHERING. HE COULD FIGURE OUT WHO'S BEHIND THIS!

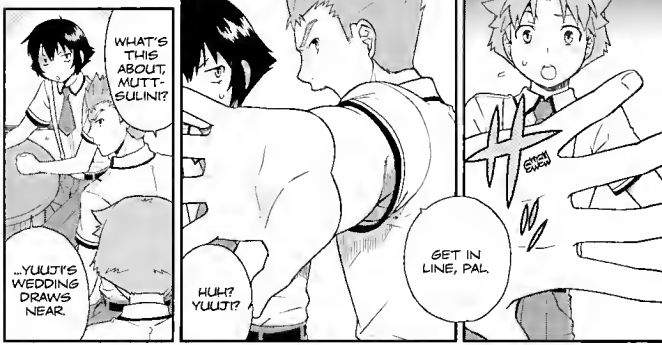

WILL MUTT-SULIN! LAUGH AT ME?
SIGH
NO! WE CAN ASK HIM TO TRACK DOWN THE BLACKMAILER!

YOU'RE A MASTER OF ADVICE, HIDEYOSH!!
I'D EXPECT NOTHING LESS FROM MY WIFE!
DON'T YOU MEAN HUSBAND!?
UM... I BELIEVE NEITHER WORD IS CORRECT...

HELP ME, MUTTSULIN!! MY REP IS IN JEOPARDY!

H-HIMEJI, WHY DON'T WE GO CHAT OVER THERE?
NICE SAVE, MY WIFE!
THUMBS UP


OKAY, I GOTTA GO TALK TO MUTT-SULIN!
OH, ARE THERE REALLY PHOTOS OF...


WHAT'S THIS ABOUT, MUTT-SULINI?
...YUUJI'S WEDDING DRAWS NEAR.
HUH? YUUJI?
GET IN LINE, PAL.
STICK EVEN

THE IMPENDING DOOM OF THE ENTIRE SCHOOL SEEING ME AS A CROSS-DRESSING PERV TAKES WAY MORE PRIORITY!
THAT TRAIN'S ALREADY LEFT THE STATION!
HIS WEDDING WITH MISS KIRISHIMA?

GO BACK TO YOUR MAID CAFE!
WHAT-EVER, PERV!
SHUT UP, YOU MARRIED MAN! GO BACK TO YOUR LIVING GRAVE!
EVERYBODY ALREADY KNOWS YOU'RE A PERV!
SAY WHAT?!
GUTTER?

I FIGURED YOU'D BE STUCK WITH A KID BY NOW.
B-BUT AREN'T YOU GLAD IT HASN'T GONE FURTHER THAN MARRIAGE?
...
GLOOM
...IF YOU DON'T HAVE ANYTHING NICE TO SAY, DON'T SAY ANYTHING AT ALL.
YOU GUESS? SHOW SOME MORE CONCERN. BUT WHATEVER.
I GUESS I SHOULD ASK WHAT HAPPENED.
HUH? WHA? IT'S NOT FUNNY?
...AKIHISA. SPARE ME THE BAD JOKES.
SHOUKO?
...I'M NOT HIDING ANY-THING.
THIS MORNING, SHOUKO WAS...

I NEVER SAID YOU WERE, DID I?
..THAT'S A LEADING QUESTION. MEANIE.

SO WHAT ARE YOU HIDING BEHIND YOUR BACK?
..NOTHING SPECIAL.

I THINK YOU SHOULD LOOK THAT UP IN THE DICTIONARY.

WANT TO HOLD HANDS?
SNIF
OKAY.

..JUST MUSIC.
WHAT'S ON IT?
AREN'T YOU TERRIBLE WITH ELECTRONICS?

THERE WE GO. HMM. AN MP3 PLAYER?
..JERK..

BONG
SNATCH

...AFTER I WIN THE FINAL ROUND, WE'LL GET MARRIED. I LOVE YOU, SHOUKO.
...JUST MUSIC.
...
YOU CAN HAVE THIS BACK TOMORROW AFTER I'VE DELETED THAT.
...BUT I HAVEN'T EVEN HAD MY FATHER LISTEN TO IT YET...
AND YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO HOLD MY HAND...
YOUR DAD? YOU... ARE YOU BLACKMAILING ME?
...NO. I WANT HIS BLESSING, THAT'S ALL.
SHOUKO, YOU NEED TO SEE A DOCTOR.
IF YOU ACT NOW, TWO OR THREE GOOD HITS SHOULD FIX YOU.
...I DON'T THINK I'M PREGNANT YET.
BLUSH
II MEANT A PSYCHIATRIST!
HEY, WHAT'S THAT IN YOUR POCKET?
...NOTHING IMPORTANT.
RUSTLE

WHAT THE HECK IS THIS?
...MY FAVORITE IS THE ONE WRITTEN LAST. A COMBINATION OF OUR NAMES.

OHO, LEMME SEE...
SHOUKO & YUUJI'S BABY NAMES ♡
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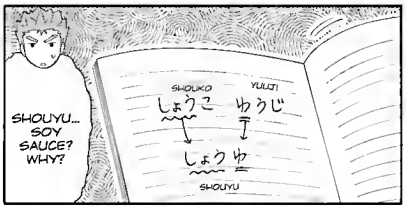
SHOUKO
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YUUJI
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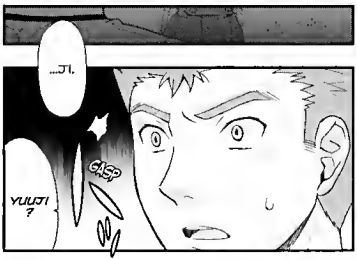
SHOUYU
SHOUYU... SOY SAUCE? WHY?

...AND IF IT'S A BOY, I'D NAME HIM "KOSHOU."
PEPPER? WAIT, SOY SAUCE IS A GIRL'S NAME?


...JI.
GASP
YUUJI?

SPARKLE
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THIS KID IS BOUND TO BE UNSTABLE WHEN THEY GROW UP.
..I WANT TO RAISE A TASTEFUL CHILD.

SHE'S TERRIBLE WITH ELECTRONICS.
IT WAS STRANGE FOR HER TO HAVE IT.
SORRY. ANYWAY, SHOUKO WAS HIDING THIS MP3 PLAYER.
SO SHE HAS AN MP3 PLAYER. SO WHAT?
SO I TOOK IT AND HAD A LISTEN.
AND WHAT DO YOU KNOW, SHE HAD A RECORDING OF A FAKED PROPOSAL BY ME.
OH my FREEZE
PROBABLY FROM THE SUMMONING TOURNAMENT.
I FEEL A BIT GUILTY KNOWING I MANUFACTURED THAT PROPOSAL...
M-MISS KIRISHIMA IS PRETTY CUTE, HUH?
KEEPIN' THAT RECORDING AROUND TO REMINISCE WITH...
SHE WANTS TO PLAY IT FOR HER DAD, TO CONVINCE HIM I PROPOSED.
THE GUILT IS CRUSHING.
I TOOK THE PLAYER, BUT THE FILE WAS PROBABLY JUST A COPY.
DELETING IT WON'T DELETE THE ORIGINAL.

I DON'T REMEMBER SEEING ANYBODY RECORDING THAT.
PON
PAMA
BUT I WOULDN'T BE SURPRISED IF SOMEBODY WHO SAW THE GIRLS IN THEIR CHINA DRESSES TRIED TO RECORD THEM.

SO I'M ASKING MUTTSULINI TO TRACK DOWN WHOEVER FIRST RECORDED IT.
THERE'S NO WAY SHOUKO WOULD HAVE BEEN HIDING A VOICE RECORDER.
WHOEVER'S BEHIND THIS IS PROBABLY AN EXPERT.

WHOOPS. HERE'S THE UNABRIDGED VERSION...

...AND YOUR PROBLEM?

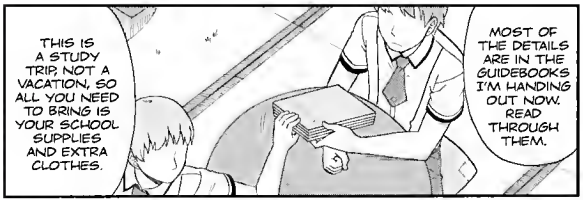
A PANTY SHOT OF ME IN A MAID DRESS COULD GET SHARED AROUND THE ENTIRE WORLD OVER THE INTERNET!
...HOW DID IT COME TO THAT?

...TWO VICTIMS OF BLACK-MAIL.
SO YOU'RE STUCK IN THE SAME BOAT AS ME, HUH?
I DON'T REMEMBER ANYBODY TAKING PICTURES, SO I THINK IT WAS AN EXPERT.
...AND SO, I WANT YOU TO CATCH THE BLACK-MAILER.
CAN'T BELIEVE I FOUND A FRIEND IN THIS.
KNEE
TIME FOR HOME-ROOM. TAKE YOUR SEATS.
SORRY I'M LATE.
I HAD TO PICK UP YOUR GUIDEBOOKS FOR THE CAMP.
...I'LL LOOK INTO IT.

THANKS, MAN. I'LL HOOK YOU UP WITH A BOOK I THINK YOU'D LIKE.
I'LL BRING YOU MY NEWLY STOCKED TREASURE BOX #2.

TOMORROW, WE'RE LEAVING FOR THE STUDY CAMP.

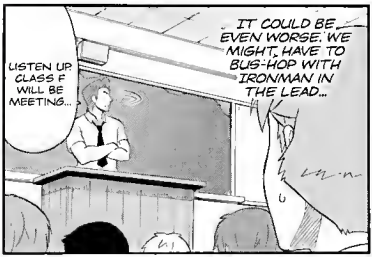
TOP VIEW
...I SWEAR I'LL FIND OUT THE TRUTH.


THIS IS A STUDY TRIP, NOT A VACATION, SO ALL YOU NEED TO BRING IS YOUR SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND EXTRA CLOTHES.
MOST OF THE DETAILS ARE IN THE GUIDEBOOKS I'M HANDING OUT NOW. READ THROUGH THEM.

EACH CLASS IS TO MEET AT A DIFFERENT TIME AND PLACE.

MAKE SURE YOU MEMORIZE WHERE AND WHEN WE'RE MEETING UP.

CLASS A WILL PROBABLY BE CHAUFFEURED IN A LIMO BUS.


LISTEN UP. CLASS F WILL BE MEETING...
IT COULD BE EVEN WORSE. WE MIGHT HAVE TO BUS-HOP WITH IRONMAN IN THE LEAD...

MEANWHILE, WE'LL PROBABLY BE CRAMMED INTO AN ORDINARY BUS.
MAYBE EVEN STUCK WITH CRUMMY, FOLD-DOWN CHAIRS, OR EVEN STANDING.

WE'RE ON OUR OWN?!
TO BE CONTINUED

AT THE CAMP-GROUND.

BAKA & TEST
SUMMON THE BEASTS

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QUESTION 29
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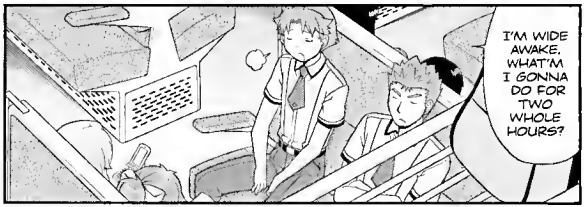
CLUNK
ABOUT TWO MORE HOURS AND WE'LL BE THERE.


I'M WIDE AWAKE. WHAT'M I GONNA DO FOR TWO WHOLE HOURS?

WE'RE ON OUR WAY TO OUR STUDY CAMP AT UZUKI HILLS, A SLIGHTLY FANCY RETREAT.
IT'S ABOUT FIVE HOURS FROM SCHOOL VIA A MIX OF TRAINS AND BUSES.
GOT ANYTHING FUNNY, YUUJI?

第29問
QUESTION 29

WHAP
CRINGE-WORTHY?!
IT'S THAT BAD?!
NO. YOUR FACE IS MORE...
CRINGE-WORTHY.
ARE YOU CALLING MY FACE FUNNY?
TOUCH
THERE'S A MIRROR IN THE BATHROOM.
GO STARE AT YOURSELF.
NO WAY COULD THAT BE A GUARDIAN ANGEL!
YEAH, I CAN SEE IT. THE BLOOD STAINS, THE TANGLED BLACK HAIR...
GUARDIAN ANGEL? YOU CAN SEE ONE?
THE FUNNY THING IS YOUR GUARDIAN ANGEL.
OH, YOU ARE? YOU SCARED ME HALF TO DEATH.
CHILL. I'M HALF-JOKING.
HAHA

WHATCHA READIN', MINAMI?
OH, THIS?

WHO CARES ABOUT THE HAIR COLOR?!
TRUTH BE TOLD, ITS HAIR IS BROWN.

IT'S A BOOK OF PERSONALITY TESTS.
THEY SELL THEM AT THE 100-YEN STORE. IT'S SURPRISINGLY INTERESTING.
OH YEAH? TRY IT ON ME.

LET'S SEE...
WHO DO YOU THINK FITS EACH COLOR?

1) GREEN.
2) ORANGE.
3) BLUE."
OKAY, HOW ABOUT... "FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING COLORS, GIVE THE NAME OF SOMEONE FROM THE OPPOSITE GENDER.

SURE.

I-I'M NOT GLARING!
ANSWER ALREADY!
TWITCH
I-IT'S KIND OF HARD TO THINK WHEN YOU'RE GLARING AT ME.
M-MINAMI ...?
GREEN IS MINAMI. ORANGE IS HIDEYOSHI. BLUE IS HIMEJI. THAT FEELS RIGHT.
UMM...
W-WHY? NO PARTICULAR REASON...?
I WON'T GET UPSET. BE HONEST.
IF I TELL HER, SHE'LL THROW ME OUT A WINDOW!
BECAUSE SHE WAS WEARING LIGHT GREEN UNDERWEAR BEFORE.
WHY?
WHY AM I GREEN AND HIMEJI BLUE?
FROOM

ARE YOU GONNA TOSS ME OFF THE TRAIN?!
SHIMADA, DON'T LITTER.

SAKAMOTO, OPEN A WINDOW.
BECAUSE YOU WERE WEARING LIGHT GREEN UNDERWEAR BEFORE.

IT'S FINE. IT'S NOT LITTERING IF HE'S DIRT.
BUT, UH, DID YOU JUST IMPLY THAT I'M A PIECE OF TRASH?
THANKS FOR STOPPING HER, YUUJI.

LET'S SEE NOW. GREEN MEANS "FRIEND," ORANGE MEANS THEY'RE A "FONT OF ENERGY"...
AND BLUE MEANS... AHA.
AH! H-HEY!
HEH HEH

TRASH BELONGS IN A TRASH BIN.
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO DEFEND ME HERE, ARE YOU...

IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE I'VE BEEN TREATED LIKE GARBAGE THAT I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO!
SNIFFLE

I GOTCHA.
NYA HEH
I DON'T CARE.
NYA HEH
J-JUST DON'T READ TOO FAR INTO THAT LAST QUESTION, GOT IT?!
WHY DON'T YOU ANSWER A QUESTION TOO, THEN?
MAYBE I WILL. MIND IF I BUTT IN, SHIMADA?
THUMP THUMP
MY BAD. IT LOOKED INTERESTING. I COULDN'T HELP MYSELF.
G-GIVE IT BACK, SAKAMOTO!
...SUIT YOURSELF.
HMPH
PHOOEE
YOU HAVE MY THANKS.
FEEH
MAY I JOIN IN AS WELL?
BUT FIRST, AKIHISA...
ABOUT YOUR ANSWER TO THE COLORS QUESTION.
WHO WAS ORANGE?

HIDE-YOSHI!
..I'M A BIT HAPPY, YET I SHOULDN'T BE...

I BELIEVE IT WOULD BE BEST TO LEAVE HIM BE.
PERHAPS HE EXHAUSTED HIMSELF DURING HIS INVESTIGATION.
HE'S FAST ASLEEP

HEY, WHAT ABOUT MUTTSULINI?

UM, MAY I PLAY, TOO?
SURE! LET'S ALL DO IT!

BONG
I'M NEVER TELLING YOU.

SAY, MINAMI?
IN THE LAST QUESTION, WHAT DID BLUE MEA...

OH, WHATEVER.
TEST TWO.
心理テスト
B-BUT...
HER EYES ARE SUCH A DEEP BLUE.
"STATE THE FIRST TWO NUMBERS FROM ONE TO TEN THAT COME TO MIND."
FIVE AND SIX.
ONE AND FOUR.
TWO AND SEVEN.
THREE AND NINE.
OKAY, IT SAYS... "THE FIRST NUMBER REPRESENTS...
..THE SELF YOU SHOW TO OTHERS."
THEY WOULD BE...
心理テスト

SOMEONE CARING AND CAREFUL.
DROP DEAD.
SOMEONE CALM AND SENSIBLE.
SOMEONE COOL AND SAR-CASTIC.

CARING AND CAREFUL, AM I?
IS IT JUST ME, OR WAS I THE ONLY ONE WHO GOT A BAD INTER-PRETATION?
HMM. MAKES SENSE.
SEN-SIBLE? PLEASED TO HEAR IT.

"THE SECOND NUMBER REPRE-SENTS...
...YOUR TRUE INNER SELF."
YOUR NUM-BERS MEAN...

SOMEONE STRONG-WILLED.
DIE AN AGONIZING DEATH.
SOMEONE SENSUAL.
SOMEONE FAIR AND KIND.

SAKAMOTO HAS A KIND HEART DEEP DOWN, DOES HE?
IS IT JUST ME, OR DID MINE GET WORSE?
HIDEYOSHI AS A SEX SYMBOL, HUH?
HIMEJI'S STONGER OF WILL THAN SHE SEEMS.

OH. MORNING, MUTT-SULINI.
...WOKE UP HUNGRY.

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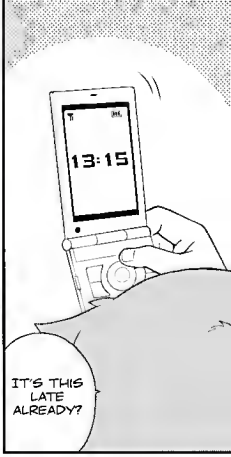
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IT'S THIS LATE ALREADY?

A PERFECT TIME FOR SOME LUNCH. SHALL WE EAT?
YEAH. IF WE HAVE LUNCH TOO LATE, WE WON'T BE HUNGRY FOR DINNER.

THIS IS ACTUAL NUTRITION WE'RE TALKING ABOUT.
HM HM
CAN'T LET A SINGLE CRUMB GO TO WASTE!

ACTUALLY, I MADE SOME EXTRA. IF YOU'D LIKE...
SUMMER
WHILE I APPRECIATE THE OFFER, YOUR COOKING HAS AN UNFORTUNATE, NOVEL TASTE... THE TASTE OF DEATH.

BIKKU
OH, ARE WE HAVING LUNCH?
TASTE

HEH
NIYA...
YOU SHOULD SHARE IT WITH AKIHISA.
...BROUGHT MY OWN PRO-VISIONS.
I HAPPEN TO HAVE MADE MINE, AS WELL.
SORRY, HIMEJI. I MADE MY OWN LUNCH, TOO.

...HE MUST THINK I COULDN'T HAVE BROUGHT LUNCH.
SINCE I LIVE ON THE EDGE OF POVERTY...

SORRY! I ACTUALLY BROUGHT A SANDWI...
RUSTLE

HEH HEH HEH! HE COULDN'T BE PROVEN MORE WRONG!!

...MY FOOT SLIPPED.
SWOOSH
NOOO! MY SANDWICH!!
WHOOPS! MY HAND SLIPPED.
AH HA HA! BE MORE CAREFUL, YOU GUYS!
GEEZ. IT'S BAD TO WASTE...
CURSES! THEIR COMBO WAS SO BRILLIANT, I HAD NO TIME TO COUNTER IT!!
BUT I'M NOT SO WEAK THAT I'D THROW AWAY A SANDWICH JUST BECAUSE IT'S SMOOSHED!
...!!
AKIHISA, YOU HAVE SOME OF HIMEJI'S LUNCH.
...YOUR FOOD. TOTALLY.
I'LL EAT THIS FOR YA, THEN.
WHOOPS! MY HAND SLI...
I'VE GOT YOU, CLUMSY.
SNEW

WANT SOME OF MY LUNCH, TOO?
OHH, UHH.. WELL...
UM, AKIHISA? WOULD YOU LIKE SOME?
...!!
HEY, WHY DON'T WE ALL SHARE?
GASP
YOU WANNA SHARE, TOO? THANKS!
THERE'S MY CHANCE!
SHINE
NO MATTER YUUJI SAKAMOTO IS MY ONLY REAL TARGET!
TCH..! TRAITORS!
TCK
TCK
W-WE'RE SITTING ALL THE WAY OVER HERE, SO WE'LL DECLINE.

SHOVE
MGRF ?!
WHAT'S THAT, AKIHISA? YOU WANT TO TRY MY LUNCH, TOO?
WHY, HELP YOURSELF!
AKIHISA ALREADY GAVE ME HIS SANDWICH.
I'M GOOD, TOO.
AWW, YUUJI, DON'T BE SHY...
THE PERFECTLY BALANCED FLAVOR OF TERIYAKI, THE MOUTHWATERING JUICINESS OF THE CHICKEN...
MMF
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I CAN'T ARGUE WITH MY MOUTH FULL!
CURSE THIS BIG AMERICAN-STYLE CLUBHOUSE SANDWICH!
HE'S GOOD AT EVERYTHING HE DOES...
...YOU GOT A PROBLEM WITH THAT?
PHOP
DID YOU MAKE THIS YOURSELF?
IT'S GOOD!

DON'T MIND IF I DO.
TRY MINE, TOO.
WHAT SHOULD I START WITH?
HMM... A DUMPLING!
UM, SO... GUESS I'LL COME OUT AND SAY IT..
THE THING IS, I HOPED YOU'D PICK THAT DUMPLING.
HUH? WHAT?

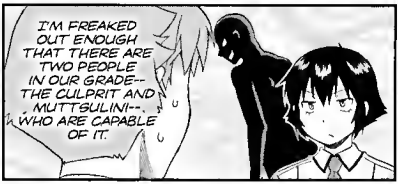
I PUT A DOUBLE DOSE OF KARASHI SPICE IN IT JUST FOR YOU.
DOO!
ARE YOU INSANE?!
IT'S SPICY!! MOTHER OF GOD, IS IT SPICY!!
MY MOUTH IS ON FIRE!!
IN A WAY, AKIHISA, YOU'VE JUST HIT A HOME RUN.
HE'S RIGHT! NOW THAT MY SENSE OF TASTE HAS BEEN DESTROYED, I MIGHT BE ABLE TO HANDLE HIMEJI'S COOKING!
TABOB TABOB
I'D BETTER WOLF IT DOWN BEFORE MY INVINCIBILITY RUNS OUT!
LET ME TRY YOUR LUNCH, HIMEJI!
OH, OF COURSE! EAT UP!
DOWN THE HATCH!
NOM NOM

THIS IS A PRANK, RIGHT? MY VITALS DIDN'T CRASH, RIGHT?
GASP
GASP
AED
THANK GOD. THE DEFI-BRILLATOR WORKED.
GASP
AKIHISA! WAKE UP!
...KIHISA!
HEY, IS THIS THE CAMP?
YEAH. SHEESH, DOES OUR SCHOOL HAVE MONEY TO BURN.
APPARENTLY THEY BOUGHT THIS INN AND REMODELED IT AS A TRAINING GROUND.
AS I WHEW
DOES THAT MEAN THEY MADE IT SO WE CAN SUMMON OUR AVATARS HERE?
AKIHISA! YOU'RE ALIVE!

THANK GOODNESS. WHEN YOU STARTED TO CONFESS THE SINS OF A PAST LIFE, I HONESTLY THOUGHT YOU WERE LEAVING US...
SNIF
I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M ALIVE.
ARE YOU IN OUR ROOM TOO?
YES. IT'S THE FOUR OF US, WITH MUTTSULINI.
HUH? WHERE'S MUTTSULINI? PEEPING? FILMING?
CLINGS
CLINGS
IS THAT THE SORT OF THING YOU SHOULD BE SAYING ABOUT A FRIEND?
...BACK.
SIGH
...AKIHISA, GLAD YOU MADE IT.
WELCOME BACK, MUTTSULINI.
...I HAVE INFO TO REPORT.
WHOA
ABOUT WHAT ME AND AKIHISA ASKED YOU FOR YESTERDAY? THAT WAS FAST.

YEAH, THERE COULDN'T BE MANY PEOPLE CAPABLE OF THIS KIND OF THING.
..BASED ON HOW THEY WORKED, I'VE CONCLUDED THAT BOTH OF YOU FELL VICTIM TO THE SAME CULPRIT.

..YESTERDAY I FOUND TRACES OF THE EQUIPMENT I BELIEVE THE BLACKMAILER USED ON CAMPUS.
OOH! WAY TO GO, MUTT-SULIN!!


I'M FREAKED OUT ENOUGH THAT THERE ARE TWO PEOPLE IN OUR GRADE-- THE CULPRIT AND MUTTSULIN!--, WHO ARE CAPABLE OF IT.

NO BIGGIE. I'M JUST THANKFUL YOU'RE WILLING TO HELP.
I GUESS IT'S ASKING TOO MUCH TO SOLVE THIS IN ONE DAY.

...
SO WHO DID IT?

OH. YOU DON'T KNOW YET?
...SORRY.

...I BUGGED THE SCHOOL...
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WHAT IN THE HECK DID YOU LOOK INTO?
...ALL I KNOW IS THAT OUR BLACKMAILER IS A FEMALE STUDENT WITH A BURN MARK ON HER BUM.
SIGH
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SO HE COULD TELL IT'S A GIRL'S VOICE, BUT COULDN'T NARROW IT DOWN.
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WELL, HE HAD TO CAST HIS NET ACROSS THE ENTIRE SCHOOL.
THERE WAS NO TIME TO GET FINICKY ABOUT CLARITY.
THE SOUND QUALITY'S PRETTY LOW.

...WITH THESE PORTABLE VOICE RECORDERS YESTERDAY.
WELCOME!

SHE MUST WANT IT FAST.
SH-SHOUKO?! SHE'S ALREADY MADE HER NEXT MOVE?!

...ONE MORE PROPOSAL FROM YUUTI, PLEASE.

...VERY WELL. I'LL ENDURE.
THANKS FOR YOUR BUSINESS. SINCE IT'S YOUR SECOND TIME, I'LL GIVE YOU A DISCOUNT.
A GENEROUS OFFER FROM A FINE LADY. I COULD HAVE IT FOR YOU TOMORROW...
...EXCEPT WE'RE LEAVING ON THE STUDY CAMP, SO I'LL GIVE YOU THE GOODS NEXT MONDAY.
...PRICE IS NO OBSTACLE.
YOUR TIME WAS EXTENDED TO MONDAY.
TH-THAT WAS CLOSE. THANK GOD FOR THIS CAMP.
SHE ROASTED ME OVER THE FIRE. LITERALLY. LIKE WHAT DAY AND AGE DOES SHE THINK WE LIVE IN?
OH, MY.
I STILL HAVE A BURN MARK ON MY BUTT. TERRIBLE THING TO DO TO AN INNOCENT MAIDEN, DON'TCHA THINK?
...THIS ONE IS OUR HINT TO THEIR IDENTITY.
YOU TAKE SUCH INCREDIBLE PICTURES.
WOULD YOU BE IN TROUBLE IF ANYONE FOUND OUT?
JUST BETWEEN YOU AND ME, MY MOM CAUGHT ME ONCE.
WHAT HAPPENED?
...THE ONLY CLUE I HAVE.
POW!
OHHH, SO THAT'S WHAT YOU MEANT BY A BURN MARK ON HER BUTT.

THAT NARROWS IT DOWN TO EITHER A GIRL OR A HIDEYOSHI.
THE SOUND WAS SO CRAPPY, THAT I COULDN'T REALLY TELL, SO GOOD THING SHE CALLED HERSELF AN "INNOCENT MAIDEN."

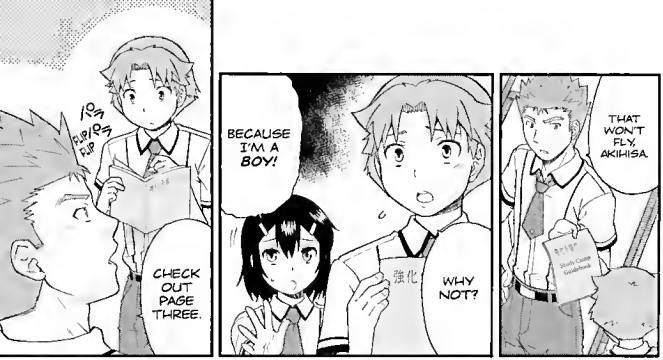
I DON'T THINK A BURN MARK WOULD SHOW UP ON A THERMAL IMAGING CAMERA.
WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU TWO TALKING ABOUT?

A BURN ON HER BUTT?
EVEN IF WE WENT AROUND FLIPPING SKIRTS, WE MIGHT NOT SEE IT. HMM...

OH YEAH. HIDEYOSHI DOESN'T KNOW THE WHOLE STORY.
HIDE-YOSHI, THE THING IS...

EUREKA! WE CAN JUST HAVE YOU CHECK THE GIRLS OUT IN THEIR COMMUNAL BATH, HIDEYOSHI!!
BING
AKIHISA, WHY ARE YOU ASSUMING I'D ENTER THE GIRL'S BATH?

I SEE. HOW DO YOU CONFIRM A BURN ON THE BUTTOCKS, THOUGH?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BECAUSE I'M A BOY!
WHY NOT?
THAT WON'T FLY, AKIHISA.
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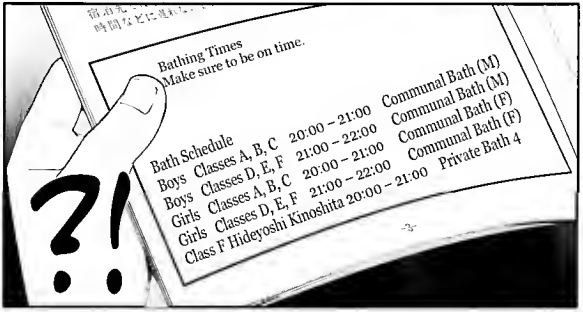
Bathing Times
Make sure to be on time.
Bath Schedule
Boys Classes A, B, C 20:00 – 21:00 Communal Bath (M)
Boys Classes D, E, F 21:00 – 22:00 Communal Bath (M)
Girls Classes A, B, C 20:00 – 21:00 Communal Bath (F)
Girls Classes D, E, F 21:00 – 22:00 Communal Bath (F)
Class F Hideyoshi Kinoshita 20:00 – 21:00 Private Bath 4
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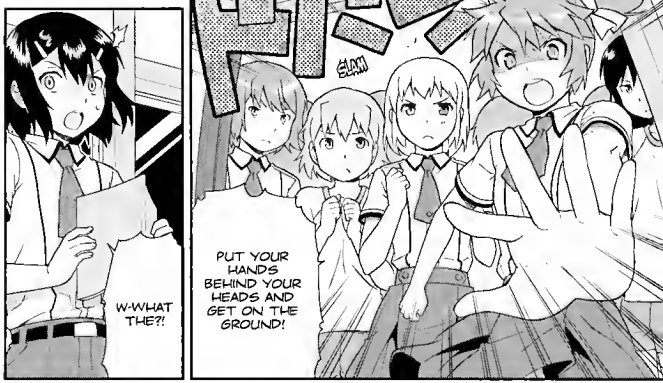
AND IT WAS SUCH A GOOD IDEA, TOO...
STOMP
STOMP
WHY AM I THE ONLY ONE CONSIGNED TO A PRIVATE BATH?!
CRAP! NOW WE CAN'T HAVE HIDEYOSHI FIND HER!


W-WHAT THE?!
PUT YOUR HANDS BEHIND YOUR HEADS AND GET ON THE GROUND!
SLAM!

WHY ARE YOU READY TO ESCAPE THROUGH THE WINDOW?
YOU THREE IDIOTS, DON'T RESIST!
OVER HERE, KINOSHITA!
WHAT'S THIS WITCH HUNT FOR?
カラ?
KLAK KLAK

KOYAMA? WAIT BEHIND WHAT?
BEHIND THIS.
HOW DARE YOU FEIGN INNOCENCE.
WE KNEW RIGHT AWAY THAT YOU WERE THE ONE BEHIND IT.
WHAT? THAT'S PEEPING!
STOP PLAYING DUMB. WHO ELSE BUT YOU WOULD DO IT?
WHAT KIND OF MONSTER WOULD..
...A CCD CAMERA AND MICRO-PHONE.
IT WAS IN THE DRESSING ROOM.
WE'VE DONE NO SUCH THING!
PEEPING? SECRETLY FILMING? SUCH BASE BEHAVIOR...
YEAH! WE DON'T DO STUFF LIKE THAT!
...!!
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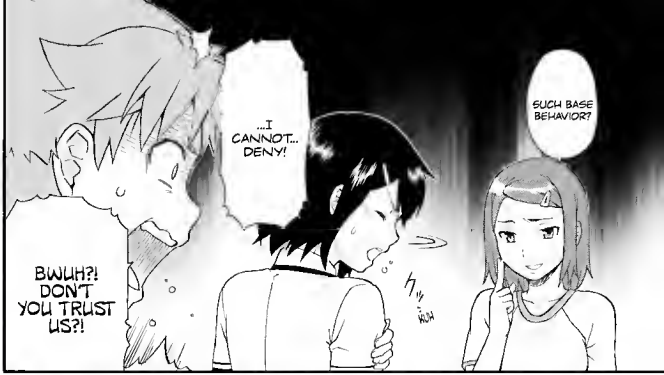
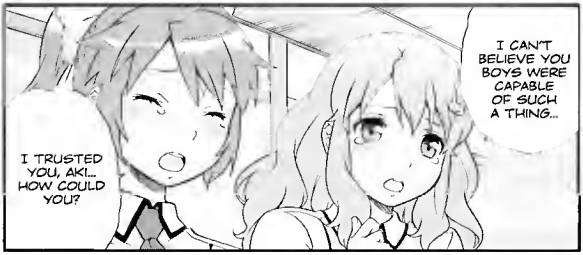

SUCH BASE BEHAVIOR?
...I CANNOT... DENY!
BWUH?! DON'T YOU TRUST US?!


I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU BOYS WERE CAPABLE OF SUCH A THING...
I TRUSTED YOU, AKI... HOW COULD YOU?

I'M VERY ANGRY!

MINAMI? IF YOU TRUSTED ME, YOU WOULDN'T BRING ANY TORTURE DEVICES OR ANYTHING, RIGHT?

M-ME TOO! MY CHEST IS USUALLY A LITTLE BIGGER, OKAY?!
THAT'S WHY SHE'S MAD?
I-I'M NORM-ALLY..
..A BIT SLIMMER, OKAY?!
HOW COULD YOU PEEP ON ME WHILE I ATE A FULL DINNER...!
TIE THEM UP, LADIES.
THAT'S A LIE.
YUUJI! SAVE US! CALM THEIR FURY!
I-I'M SORRY! I'M JUST TOO HONEST!
THE GUY TO TURN TO DURING TROUBLE LIKE THIS IS...

I'M GOING TO TAKE GOOOD CARE OF YOU UNTIL YOU CONFESS...
SNAP
IT'S TOO LATE! HE'S ALREADY ON THE EXECUTION BLOCK!
MPAHH MPAHH

POW POW
...DON'T DARE CHEAT ON ME.
SHOUKO, STOP! CALM DOWN! GYAAAAHH!!

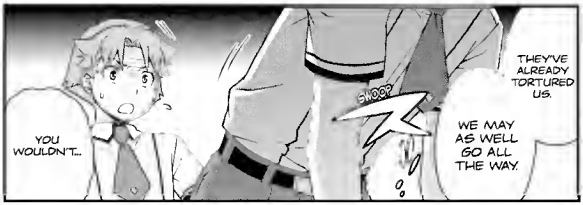
I HATE LYING, BUT FLATTERY IS THE ONLY WAY OUT!
MINAMI'S SADISTIC TENDENCIES ARE AT FULL POWER! I COULD DIE HERE!

WE'LL START WITH ONE SLAB.
MMMM
HEY, MINAMI? I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYONE WITH BOOBS AS BIG AS YOU--
OGYAAAH!!

AKIHISA? DID YOU SEE MINAMI'S CHEST...?
AH HA HA! OH, GEEZ!
WHY HIMEJI, YOU'RE FAR TOO KIND TO EVER PUT SUCH SOMETHING SO HEAVY ON M--
NUOOOO ?!

AFTER THREE MINUTES OF TORTURE, THEY WERE RELEASED DUE TO LACK OF EVIDENCE.

...I'D NEVER MESS UP ENOUGH TO GET CAUGHT.
MUTT-SULINI, THAT KIND OF RESPONSE COULD GET US INTO MORE TROUBLE.
TCH
YOU OKAY, YUUJI? YOU'VE BEEN AWFULLY QUIET.
MUMBLE
HUH? WHAT WAS THAT?
...IT'S ON.


THEY'VE ALREADY TORTURED US.
SLOOP
WE MAY AS WELL GO ALL THE WAY.
YOU WOULDN'T...

OH, I WOULD.
THEY TOOK THIS FIGHT TO US.
WE'LL GIVE THEM A PEEPING THEY'LL NEVER FORGET!!
TO BE CONTINUED

第30問
QUESTION 30
IF YOU WANT TO SEE MISS KIRISHIMA NAKED SO BADLY...
...YOU COULD JUST ASK HER YOURSELF.
THE GIRLS BROUGHT THIS FIGHT TO US. WE'LL GIVE THEM A PEEPING THEY'LL NEVER FORGET!
GENKI
...IT'S ON.
I'M VERRRY INTERESTED.
SNEAK
SNEAK
D-DON'T BE RIDICULOUS! I HAVE ZERO INTEREST IN SEEING SHOUKO'S NAKED BODY!
WE ALREADY GOT THE PUNISHMENT, SO IT SHOULD BE OKAY FOR US TO COMMIT THE CRIME.
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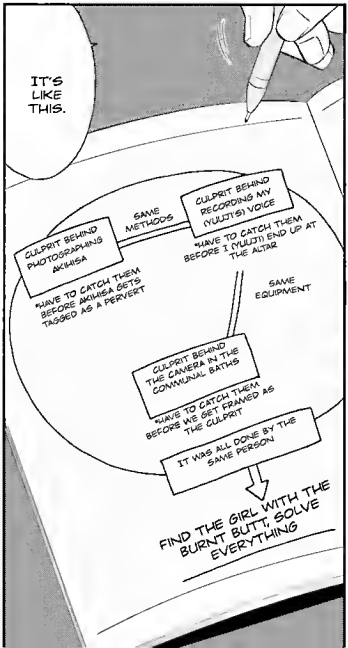
うん
MMM MMM
WE'LL TREAT OURSELVES WHILE WE TRACK DOWN THAT BLACKMAILER.
IF THEY'RE GONNA TREAT US LIKE CRIMINALS ANYWAY, NO NEED TO HOLD BACK.
DO YOU MEAN TO FIND THE BURNED-BUM BLACK-MAILER?
YEAH. I THOUGHT PEEPING WOULD BE TAKING IT TOO FAR, BUT...

...
INDEED.
LUCKY FOR US.
...IDD PERCENT.

WHAT? ARE YDU CERTAIN?
...THAT CAMERA AND MIC WAS THE SAME KIND THE BLACKMAILER USES.


IT'S LIKE THIS.
CULPRIT BEHIND PHOTOGRAPHING AKIHISA
SAME METHODS
CULPRIT BEHIND RECORDING MY (YUUJI'S) VOICE
*HAVE TO CATCH THEM BEFORE AKIHISA GETS TAGGED AS A PERVERT
*HAVE TO CATCH THEM BEFORE I (YUUJI) END UP AT THE ALTAR
SAME EQUIPMENT
CULPRIT BEHIND THE CAMERA IN THE COMMUNAL BATHS
*HAVE TO CATCH THEM BEFORE ME GET FRAMED AS THE CULPRIT
IT WAS ALL DONE BY THE SAME PERSON
FIND THE GIRL WITH THE BURNT BUTT. SOLVE EVERYTHING

WHAT DDES THAT MEAN, EXACTLY?

THAT'S OUR AKIHISA. CAN'T KEEP UP TO SAVE HIS LIFE.
SNIP
SNAP

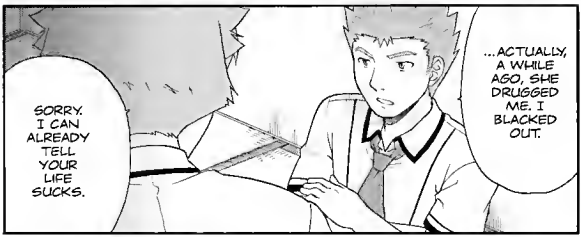
QUESTION 30

第30問

PEEPING IS A NECESSARY EVIL TO SECURE OUR HAPPY FUTURES!
YEAH! LET'S GET HER!

OHH!
WE CAN'T HESITATE.

YOU KNOW, YOU'RE REALLY MOTIVATED WHEN IT COMES TO MISS KIRISHIMA.


...ACTUALLY, A WHILE AGO, SHE DRUGGED ME. I BLACKED OUT.
SORRY. I CAN ALREADY TELL YOUR LIFE SUCKS.

HMM. SO DID YOU HAVE TO TALK TO THE 'RENTS AND STUFF?
NO, THAT'S NOT THE ISSUE.
IN HER HOUSE ...

HIS STUBBORN RESISTANCE FORCED HER TO RESORT TO TOUGH LOVE, MAYBE?
WHEN I WOKE UP, I WAS LOCKED UP AT HER HOUSE.

...I HAD MY OWN ROOM.
YUUJI'S TIME IS ALMOST UP.
I-IN THAT CASE, WE SHOULD LEAVE AT ONCE. BATH TIMES WILL BE OVER BEFORE WE KNOW IT!
IF THEY HEAR THAT RECORDING, I'M SCREWED!
...AND I FEEL I'M RESPONSIBLE FOR THAT RECORDING.
HE SHOULDN'T LET IT BUG HIM. I'M THE ONE WHO MADE HIM SAY THOSE LINES.
HUH? YOU TWO WANT TO HELP, TOO?
IT'S ONLY RIGHT TO HELP A FRIEND IN NEED.
...I ALREADY CONFIRMED THE LOCATION OF THE GIRL'S BATH.

OKAY! UP AND AT 'EM, YUUJI! WE'RE GOING PEEPING!
POW
GUH!!
AKIHISA, YOU SEEM QUITE ACCUSTOMED TO BRINGING YUUJI BACK TO HIS SENSES.
WHA ?!
WHAP
...FORTY MINUTES UNTIL THE SECOND GROUP'S BATH TIME IS OVER.

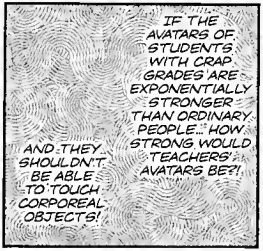
NO TIME TO WASTE. LET'S HURRY!
YEAH. RUN!
UNDERSTOOD!

...IT'S DOWN THE STAIRS AND FURTHER DOWN THE HALLWAY.
UNDERGROUND? THEN WE CAN'T PEEP FROM OUTSIDE.
MAP
ALL RIGHT. LET'S BREAK ON THROUGH.

FREEZE
DASH
YOU BOYS! STOP!
WHAT NOW, YUUJI?! IT'S MR. FUSE!
...BUT I NEVER BELIEVED ANYONE WOULD COME TO PEEP.
WE DECIDED TO KEEP A WATCH ON THE BATHS AFTER THAT CAMERA WAS FOUND..

YOU TOO, YOSHI!! LISTEN TO ME, NOT HIM!
THUMBS UP
ROGER! I'LL FINISH THIS IN ONE HIT!!
YOU SHOULD CARE, SAKAMOTO! I'M A TEACHER!
I DON'T CARE! DECK HIM!!
YEAH. WE'RE AFTER THE TRUTH. JUSTICE IS ON OUR SIDE!
HE'LL FORGIVE US LATER, WHEN WE REVEAL THE TRUE CULPRIT!
WE'VE GOT TO DO THIS TO CLEAR OUR NAMES!
WHOOSH
EEEP!! SUMMON !!
YOU CLEARLY HAVE SELFISH ULTERIOR MOTIVES!!
THIS IS PAYBACK FOR THAT EXTRA SCHOOL-WORK!!

SHUFF
TANUCK


IF THE AVATARS OF STUDENTS WITH CRAP GRADES ARE EXPONENTIALLY STRONGER THAN ORDINARY PEOPLE... HOW STRONG WOULD TEACHERS' AVATARS BE?!
AND THEY SHOULDN'T BE ABLE TO TOUCH CORPOREAL OBJECTS!

A-AN AVATAR?

TCH... THE TEACHERS' AVATARS CAN TOUCH THINGS?!

PHEW. JUST IN TIME.

SOMETIMES WE HAVE TO STOP FIGHTS, TOO.

IT WAS MORE CONVENIENT FOR OUR AVATARS TO BE ABLE TO CARRY THINGS.
...UNTIL YOSHII BECAME A PROBATIONARY STUDENT.
WE USED TO TAKE CARE OF HEAVY LABOR...

AND AREN'T YOU IGNORING HOW YOU THREW A PUNCH AT ME UNPROVOKED JUST NOW?
WE DON'T TAKE PART IN ANY FORMAL BATTLES, THOUGH.
USING TESTS YOU MADE YOURSELVES TO SUMMON AVATARS?! YOU HAVE AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE!
THAT'S SNEAKY!

IT'S THE PRINCIPAL'S POLICY.
TEACHERS MUST KEEP THEIR MINDS HONED THEMSELVES.

HUH? REALLY?
BESIDES, WE TAKE TESTS MADE BY *OTHER* TEACHERS.

IT'S DO OR DIE!
THAT'S THE SPIRIT, YUUJI!
WE'LL GIVE FUSE AND HIS AVATAR THE BEAT-DOWN!
WILL YOU GIVE YOUR-SELVES UP?
HOLD YOUR HORSES.
GWSH
YOU GOT THIS!
GOOD GRIEF. HE DOESN'T THINK HE CAN WIN WITHOUT ME, HUH? SO HOPELESS.
CHEMISTRY, HUH? THAT LAST TEST WAS A BUMMER.
I WAS JUST ONE POINT SHORT. JUST ONE MORE POINT AND I WOULD'VE...
MMM
TELL ME YOUR SCORE IN CHEMIS-TRY.

IT'S NOT 'CAUSE I'M DUMB!
I-IT'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK! IT'S 'CAUSE I ACCIDENTALLY WROTE ALL MY ANSWERS ONE LINE OVER!
TRMBL TRMBL

I THINK I WAS ONE POINT SHORT OF DOUBLE DIGITS.
GUNT
GO ON THEN, TRASH.

MUTTSU-LINI, AKIHISA, YOU GO ON AHEAD OF US.
YOU'LL BE HARD-PRESSED TO DEFEAT A TEACHER ONE-ON-ONE, YUUJI. I'LL LEND YOU MY AID.

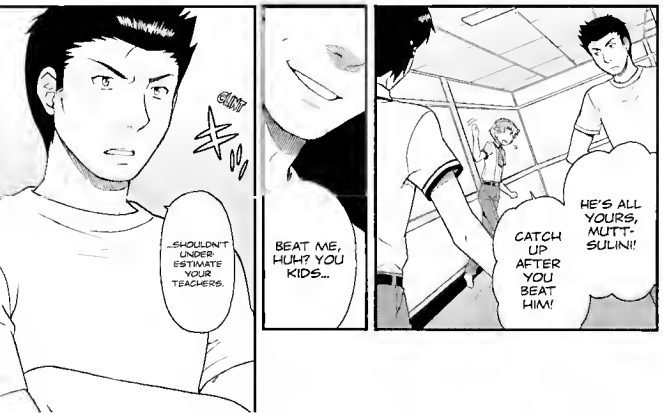
OKAY, MUTTSULINI! YOU HEARD 'EM! LET'S GO ON AHEA...
SAY NOTHING OF IT, FRIEND. WE MUST CLEAR YOUR GOOD NAMES!
SUMMON !!
THANKS, HIDEI-YOSHI.
LET'S DO THIS! SUMMON!!
FWOOM

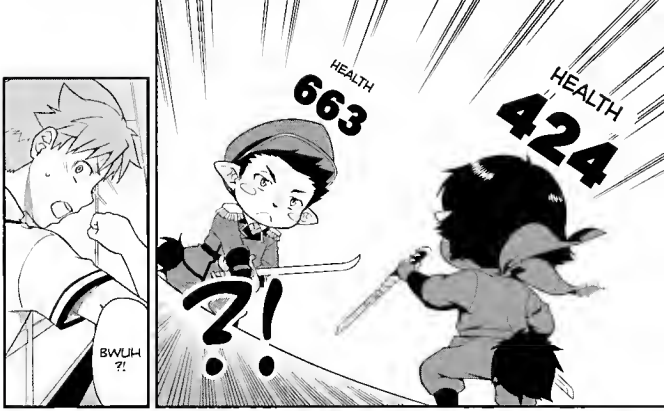
DASH
TSUCHIYA! YOSHII! S-STOP!
TAP
YOU'RE ALREADY GONE?!
WHAT HE SAID. YOU'RE GONNA KEEP US COMPANY FOR A BIT.
MY APOLOGIES, MR. FUSE. WE CAN'T ALLOW YOU TO STOP THEM.
SWISH SWISH
STOP RIGHT THERE.
TAP
TAP

...MR. OOSHIMA.
CRAP. IT'S MR. OOSHIMA, A HEALTH TEACHER... AND THE MAN MUTTSULINI CALLS HIS MENTOR.
HEALTH, THOUGH... MUTTSULINI SHOULD BE ON PAR WITH A TEACHER'S SCORE.
...THIS ISN'T PEEPING.
SO HE'S GOING TO TRY TO PERSUADE HIM? YOU DON'T SEE THAT EVERY DAY.
YEAH?
...MR. OOSHIMA.
WHAT WOULD YOU CALL IT THEN?
...IT'S...

NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BROKEN DOWN.
WHAP
SUMMON.
FWOOOO
...PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF HEALTH CLASS.

THE INNER WORKINGS OF YOUR MIND ARE OUT OF ANYBODY'S REACH.
DUDE, DID YOU REALLY THINK THAT WOULD CONVINCE HIM?
SUMMON.


...SHOULDN'T UNDERESTIMATE YOUR TEACHERS.
GINT
BEAT ME, HUH? YOU KIDS...
CATCH UP AFTER YOU BEAT HIM!
HE'S ALL YOURS, MUTTSULIN!!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BWUH
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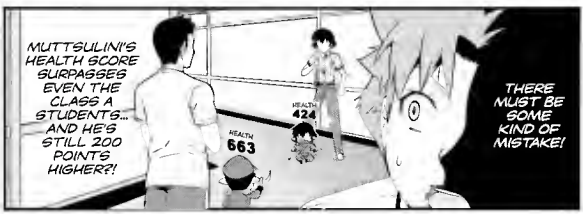
MUTTSULINI'S HEALTH SCORE SURPASSES EVEN THE CLASS A STUDENTS... AND HE'S STILL 200 POINTS HIGHER?!
HEALTH
424
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THERE MUST BE SOME KIND OF MISTAKE!

IDIOT. WE TEACHERS WOULD NEVER STOOP THAT LOW.
DEAR GOD, WAS IT GRADE FRAUD ?!

WOW, REALLY?
THEY SURE WORK YOU HARD!
YES. EDUCATING IS HARD WORK.
IRON-MAN! SO YOU'VE COME!
THAT'S MR. NISHI-MURA TO YOU!
NOT THAT YOU WOULD KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT...
...BUT WE TEACHERS DO OUR FAIR SHARE OF STUDYING, TOO.
TO BECOME BETTER EDU-CATORS.
I'VE BEEN SO BUSY WITH TAKING OVER FOR CLASS F I HAVEN'T HAD THE CHANCE TO TAKE ANY TESTS.
I DON'T HAVE A SCORE.
ASO MR. NISHIMURA, HOW HIGH IS YOUR SCORE?
OH YEAH? SO THAT'S A ZERO, HUH?
THAT'S OUR MUSCLE-CRAZED MR. NISHIMURA.

CUMULATIVE
929
SUMMONS
A-ANYWAY, PLEASE MOVE ASIDE!
FWOOM

IS IT JUST ME, OR AM I GONNA NEED A BLOOD TRANS-FUSION?
WHAT'S YOUR BLOOD TYPE, YOSHII? JUST IN CASE.
HRMM HMM

TRY ME.
CLENCH
?!

SIR? DID YOU FORGET THAT MY AVATAR CAN TOUCH PEOPLE?

HE'S TRYING TO FIGHT AN AVATAR WITH SUPER-HUMAN STRENGTH... BARE-HANDED?
BWUH? HE'S NOT GONNA SUMMON HIS AVATAR?

IDIOT. HOW COULD I FORGET OUR SCHOOL'S VERY FIRST PROBLEM STUDENT?
THEN WHY ARE YOU..
I ALREADY TOLD YOU. I DON'T HAVE A SCORE.
YOU CAN'T SUMMON AN AVATAR WITH A ZERO? IN THAT CASE...
THIS IS THE CHANCE OF MY DREAMS!
OH YEAH? THEN I'M PUTTING ALL OF MY REVENGE INTO THIS!
TAKE THIS, IRONMAN!!

...HUH?
KAPOW!
HRMPH!

YOSHII, DO YOU KNOW WHY I'VE NEVER TAKEN AWAY YOUR PERMISSION TO SUMMON?
SHIT
I SHOULDN'T HAVE USED THE SWORD. IF I THROW MY AVATAR AT HIM HEAD ON, I'LL BE FINE!

TH-THAT'S CRAZY!
NO ORDINARY PERSON COULD TAKE DOWN AN AVATAR ...!
KA-KLAK

...IT DOESN'T COUNT AS HITTING A STUDENT!
THWACK!
IF I BEAT UP YOUR AVATAR...
LUCKY FOR ME YOU'RE ON PROBATION.
BWUUUH?! BUT THAT'S NEVER STOPPED YOU BEFO...
BOOOOM!
TAKE THIS!!

SLUMP
SINCE YOU WERE MAN ENOUGH TO COME AT ME HEAD-ON...
I'LL LET YOU OFF WITHOUT A SUSPEN-SION.

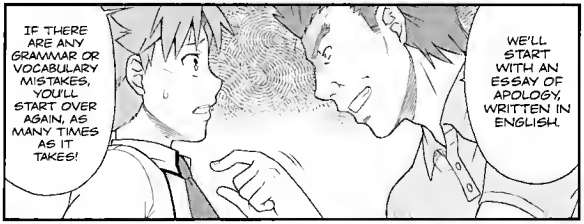
BZZZZKT
GBAAAH?!

SLUMP
WAUN
YOU'RE LUCKY YOU FOUGHT SUCH A MERCIFUL TEACHER.

WOBBLE
I'LL LET YOU GO ONCE YOU'VE LEARNED YOUR LESSON.
I'M NOT A MON-STER.

IF YOU WERE TRULY MERCIFUL, YOU'D LET ME OFF WITH JUST THIS.
I'M NOT LUCKY, NOT AT ALL.
TWITCH
TWITCH

BWEH?
THE SAME GOES FOR THOSE THREE.


IF THERE ARE ANY GRAMMAR OR VOCABULARY MISTAKES, YOU'LL START OVER AGAIN, AS MANY TIMES AS IT TAKES!
WE'LL START WITH AN ESSAY OF APOLOGY, WRITTEN IN ENGLISH.

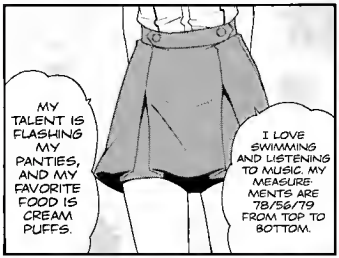
ONCE YOU'RE DONE, YOU CAN TAKE A SHOWER AND GO TO SLEEP!
GIGGLE
GIGGLE

STUDY CAMP, DAY 2
...I'M SO GLAD WE CAN STUDY TOGETHER, YUUJI.
ZASH
ZASH
THE GUYS IN MY CLASS WILL COME AFTER MY HEAD.
HOLD UP, SHOUKO! DON'T JUST SIT IN MY LAP LIKE IT'S NOTHING!
SIT
BREAK
CLASSES? NO WAY.
I WONDER WHEN CLASSES WILL START?
TODAY, WE HAVE A GROUP STUDY WITH CLASS A.
YOU CAN WORK ON WHATEVER SUBJECT YOU WANT, SO IT'S BASICALLY A SELF STUDY.

NO CLASSES? YOU DON'T WANNA DO IT?
WON'T BE ANY. WOULD YOU BE ABLE TO KEEP UP WITH A LESSON WITH CLASS A KIDS?
HMPH! THAT'S UNCALLED FOR! MAYBE THAT'S TRUE FOR YOU, YUUJI...
AHEM
BECAUSE YOU CAN'T FOLLOW IN EITHER ONE.
...BUT I'M ABLE TO KEEP UP AT ABOUT THE SAME RATE IN BOTH CLASS F OR CLASS A.
BASICALLY, WHEN THE CLASS A KIDS SEE CLASS F KIDS, THEY'LL THINK, MAN, I DON'T WANNA END UP LIKE THEM.
AND VICE VERSA, THE CLASS F KIDS WILL WATCH CLASS A KIDS AND THINK, I WANNA GET THAT SMART.
..THE POINT OF THE STUDY CAMP IS TO INCREASE MOTIVA-TION.
SHOUKO, HE WON'T UNDER-STAND WITHOUT EXAMPLES.
THAT'S HOW THEY WANT TO MOTIVATE US.
SEPARATE CLASSES WOULDN'T HELP WITH THAT.
YOU'RE SITTING HERE, REP?
MIND IF I JOIN YOU?

LET ME REINTRODUCE MYSELF, THEN.
I'M AIKO KUDOU FROM CLASS A.

UMM, IT'S KUDOU, RIGHT?
YUP. HI, YOSHII.


I LOVE SWIMMING AND LISTENING TO MUSIC. MY MEASUREMENTS ARE 78/56/79 FROM TOP TO BOTTOM.
MY TALENT IS FLASHING MY PANTIES, AND MY FAVORITE FOOD IS CREAM PUFFS.

OH, DEAR. YOU DON'T BELIEVE ME?

OH NO, JUST... JUST WONDERING HOW TALENTED YOU ARE...
SOMETHING WRONG, YOSHII?

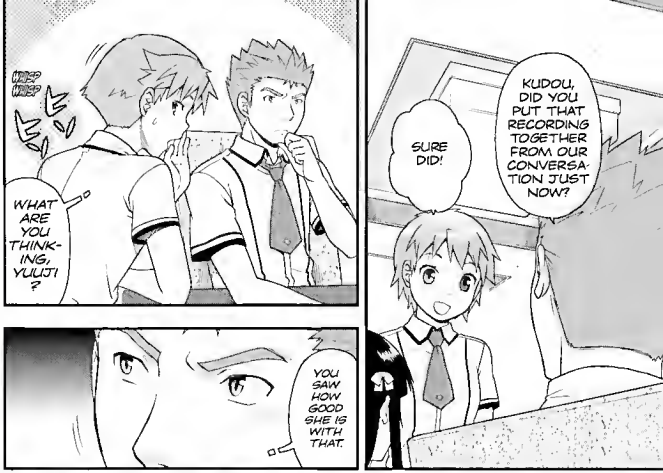
UMM, THERE WAS SOME SEDUCTIVE STUFF SLIPPED IN THERE

SHOULD WE HAVE A SHOW AND TELL RIGHT HERE?
SLIDE
GYAAA
..NO CHEATING.
MY HEART'S CRAZY WORKED UP.
I THOUGHT YOU'D BE DROWNING IN A POOL OF YOUR OWN BLOOD.
..AKIHISA, DON'T LET AIKO KUDOU TRICK YOU.
HUH? MUTTSULINI, YOU'RE SO CALM!
..SHE WEARS LEGGINGS UNDER HER SKIRT!
W-WHAT?! KUDOU FOOLED ME?!
SHE COST ME MY EYES!
GRRR
ムキー!!

AH HA HA! YOU GOT ME!
CAN'T GET ANY-THING PAST MUTT-SULIN!!
OKAY, SO IT DOESN'T COUNT AS A TALENT...
...BUT I GUESS I'VE BEEN PRETTY INTO THIS THING LATELY.
BEEP BEEP
...A VOICE RE-CORDER.
YUP! IT'S PRETTY COOL. FOR EXAMPLE ...
KUDOU.
BEEP
CRAZY WORKED UP.
WAN-NA DO IT?
AAAAH!! I NEVER SAID THAT!!
DON'T PLAY STUFF THAT'LL GET ME IN TROUBLE!
SEE? IT'S INTER-ESTING, RIGHT?

MIZUKI, WILL YOU HELP ME GO GET THAT?
OH, THAT? I'D LOVE NOTHING MORE.
A TRULY INTERESTING THING TO SAY.
...OH, YES. IT'S VERRRY INTER-ESTING.

...IF I'D HELP THEM MOVE SOME STONE SLABS.
I WONDER THAT THAT'S ABOUT?
WHAT'S UP, HIDE-YOSHI?
SHIMADA AND HIMEJI JUST ASKED ME...


KUDOU, DID YOU PUT THAT RECORDING TOGETHER FROM OUR CONVERSATION JUST NOW?
SURE DID!
HMM? HMM?
WHAT ARE YOU THINKING, YUUJI?
YOU SAW HOW GOOD SHE IS WITH THAT.

SHE COULD BE OUR CULPRIT.
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